THE WEATHER.

Fair in West, local showers in East portion Friday; Saturday fair, slightly warmer in interior; light to moderate variable winds.

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ANXIETY IS FELT NOW FOR GAYNOR

Bulletins on Mayor's Condition Somewhat Discredted Last Night.

DOCTORS DID NOT DISAGEE

Location and Course of the Bullet Cause of Uneasiness—Physicians Say His Condition is Satisfactory.

New York, Aug. 11.—Mayor William J. Gaynor may be making satisfactory progress, as his attending physicians persistently maintained today and tonight, but there is an undercurrent of anxiety evidenced tonight that runs contrary to the official bulletins.

His surgeons say that he had a satisfactory day, that he is cheerful and stronger and was resting quietly, more than holding his own against the pistol shot wound inflicted on Tuesday by James J. Gallagher.

As opposed to the attitude of optimism, those who read the 10:30 bulletin thoughtfully noted reference to "complete radiographic" examination, indicating that it was necessary to take a second set of negatives in order to accurately find the position of the bullet. That an additional set of negatives was t aken has been reported heretofore, but the rumor lacked confirmation.

Nothing is said in the bulletin of the "split bullet" mentioned as indicated in the first pictures; instead the lead is now said to be lodged in the roof of the mouth. Whether the other shadows, as indicated in the first picture, is a splinter of bone, none of the physicians would say.

A sample of the patient's blood was examined carefully this evening and pronounced satisfactory, the relation of the white and red blood corpuscles having been found so near normal as to cause no alarm. Although rumors are afloat that his physicians are in the midst of a disagreement, Robert Adamson, his secretary, and E. J. Lederle, health commissioner of New York, gave out a statement discrediting the reports of friction among the medical advisers.

Mayor Not So Cheerful.

The patient's irritability this forenoon and the barring from the sick room of all save Mrs. Gaynor and the attending physicians, first gave rise to these disquieting rumors. It was admitted that the Mayor had lost, temporarily at least, his cheerful frame of mind, and had requested that his wife remain near his bedside almost constantly. Because of soreness of the wounded throat, an antiseptic spray was used frequently, and it was during this process that the Mayor showed signs of fretting.

Reports that dissension had arisen among the physicians over the advisability of an operation met with prompt denial, but nevertheless, persistent rumors came from the hospital that there was serious difference of opinion as to the course to be pursued. One physician, it is said, holds that the bullet should be removed immediately, while others maintain that they should let well enough alone as long as there is no sign of infection.

John Purroy Mitchell, the acting Mayor, visited the hospital this afternoon, but was not allowed to go to the sick room. He said he knew nothing of the reported friction among physicians.

Good signs of the day were the continued optimistic tone of the official bulletins and the departure of Thomas Gaynor, the Mayor's brother, for Baltimore.

Gallagher, the would-be assassin in prison in Jersey City, is beginning to lay the groundwork of his defense. It will be this way: His lawyers and Dr. F. S. Potter, an alienist, held a conference with him this afternoon. Alexander Simpson, of Jersey City, of counsel for the prisoner, says he has investigated the man's record, and finds basis for a trace of hereditary insanity.

"When we reached Gallagher's cell," he said, "Dr. Potter pointed his finger at the man and cried: 'Why did you shoot the Mayor?' Gallagher burst into tears and answered: 'I had to do so to get justice.'"

The New York authorities placed in the hands of the prosecutor of Hudson county today copies of all the letters Gallagher has written to Mayor Gaynor and other officials of the city administration.

While New York will have no direct hand in the trial, whether it be for assault with intent to kill or for murder, every effort will be made to provide assistance to the prosecution. If tried merely on the assault charge New Jersey lawyers hold that Gallagher is likely to get a sentence tantamount to life imprisonment. It is pointed out that if sentenced for only 12 years he is liable to a $3,000 fine, which can be remitted only by the State board of pardons. As he is practically penniless, paying the fine seems to be an impossibility, and in default of payment he may be kept in prison just as long as the board of pardons deems advisable.

"Big Bill" Edwards, formerly Princeton's football idol, whose strong arms bore down and almost crushed Gallagher when the Mayor was shot, was deluged with cable messages, tele-

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DISCLOSE FRAUD IN ILLINOIS ROAD

Sensational Affair in Which Former Officials Are Involved.

PROSECUTIONS TO BEGIN SOON

Hundreds of Thousands Was Lost by Railroad—Ira G. Rawn Was A Stockholder—Names of Officials Given.

Memphis Tenn. Aug. 11.—Disclosures of a most sensational nature involving high former officials of the Illinois Central Railroad in the conspiracy by which the Memphis Car Company is alleged to have defrauded the railroad of hundreds of thousands of dollars were made today when a decree was entered in Chancellor Heiskell's court.

By this decree every dollar's worth of property in the Memphis Car Company's plant and a sum in cash will be turned over to the Illinois Central Railroad. Deeds were filed from the entering of the decree.

Prosecutions will immediately begin, it is said, against a number of the former officials implicated, probably in the Illinois courts first and later in the Tennessee courts.

The stockholders mentioned in the decree beside E. H. Ward and H. C. Osterman, the organizers of the Memphis Car Company and their official positions at the time of the issuanrce of the stocks were:

Frank B. Harriman, general manager of the Illinois Central; Hugh McCourt, general superintendent of the Southern lines of Illinois Central; W. S. King, general superintendent of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Railroad, operating also the Mempnis terminals of the Illinois Central.

William Renshaw, until May 1, 1908, superintendent of machinery having charge of the repair of equipment; Jos. E. Buker, assistant superintendent of machinery; John M. Taylor, general store-keeper Burnside shops Chicago.

Renshaw is said to be in France, but as soon as a true bill is secured, efforts will be made to bring him back.

It is known that the Illinois Central railroads refused offers of large sums in settlement to include immunity, declaring that the road would rather lose the millions of which it had been defrauded, than to have the officials who had been parties to the alleged fraud escape punishment.

Two of the officials, it is set forth, have returned to the Illonis Central the amounts received by them as dividend. These are Hugh McCourt and W. S. King, each of whom made voluntary restitution of $13,000 in cash.

One of the stockholders, Ira G. Rawn, is dead.

REPORTED SHIP ON FIRE.

Rumor About Excursion Boat Caused Excitement in Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—A garbled wireless message indicating that a ship was on fire in the lake some distance from Chicago created much excitement in Chicago today, especially among visiting Knights Templars.

A harmless inquiry sent by wireless from the excursion steamer Christopher Columbus, with 2,000 passengers, mostly wives and daughters of visiting Sir Knights on board, started the trouble.

The captain of the Christopher Columbus had noticed smoke, and asked the steamer Grand Haven if she had noticed anything unusual. As the rumor grew, it presently embraced the Columbus itself, and newspaper telephones were kept hot with the frantic inquiries of the visitors, whose women folk had gone on the excursion.

It was some hours before all boats could be accounted for and the mistake corrected. The fact that various wireless stations tried to work simultaneously did much to add to the confusion. Before the rumor had exploded, half a dozen tugs and ships had left harbor here and returned from their course to look for the "ship on fire."

EARL OF EGMONT DEAD.

Scion of Nobility Married South Carolina Girl in 1881.

London, Aug. 11.—Augustus Arthur Percival, eighth earl of Egmont, died today. He was born in 1856.

Before succeeding to the title of the Earl of Egmont he was in such financial straits that for several years he earned his living as a member of a London fire brigade. He was the caretaker of the Chelsea town hall when the death of a distant cousin gave him the earldom. In 1881 he married Kate, the daughter of Warwick Howell, of South Carolina.

SOUTHERN CHECKER PLAYERS.

Columbia Champion Present to Defend His Title.

Macon, Aug. 11.—The opening session of the annual tournament of the Southern Checker Players' Association began this morning, with 20 members from various States in attendance, and as many more expected during the day.

F. B. Fishburne, of Columbia, S. C., twice champion and the present holder of the medal, is here to defend his title. The tournament will end Saturday night.

Marksmen Throng the Ranges

Rifle Matches at Camp Perry

OFFICERS WIVES ON CLUB HOUSE PORCH — GETTING READY FOR CONTESTS — SHOOTING AT THE TARGETS — WIMBLEDON CUP

Camp Perry, Ohio, Aug. 11.—Twenty rifle teams today shot the first stage of the Ohio State Rifle Association's match for teams of eight for the Herrick trophy valued at $3,000, with the result that the United States Marine Corps tonight leads Ohio by the narrow margin of ten points 11.33 against 11.43. A second team for the Marine Corps ranks third with 11.42 and the United States cavalry fourth with 11.42 the United States Infantry 11.37, gives it fifth place and Massachusetts 11.22 sixth. Other scores are: Oklahoma 11.20; U. S. Navy 11.04; Naval Academy 10.99; Indiana 10.93; Maryland 10.92; Colorado 10.25. The match will be concluded Friday morning at 1,000 yards.

The Chicago Police Department won the National Police team match, a new contest this year, defeating Cincinnati, 63 points and St. Louis by 195. The scores were: Chicago Police Department 209 at slow fire, 440 at timed fire, 460 rapid fire. Total 11.09. The national matches are to be later during the meet, and the contest for the famous Wimbledon cup is attracting much attention. The cup was presented to the National Rifle association in 1876 and has been contested for annually with the exception of during the Spanish-American war, when no match was scheduled. Victor H. Czegka is the present holder of the cup. Many other valuable trophies are to be contested for before the tournament ends.

AFTERMATH OF CONVENTION

Republicans Leaving Scene of Wednesday's Contest—Local Option Plank Loaded—Congressional Situation in Fifth.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 11.—When the sun rose this morning there were only a few scattering delegates on the scene and the day after the Republican State Convention was indeed a quiet one. Butler and wife left at midnight for Morehead City, the Sampson county fox, happy and contented. Settle left at noon for Asheville, wearing his happiest smile. Dethroned Duncan went to Raleigh this afternoon, in anything but pleasant frame of mind, but as cheerful as could be expected under the circumstances. He was first to arrive and last to leave.

The action of the convention meets general approval here and the Duncan supporters are making the best they can out of the situation. All are agreed to take their "licking" and stand up behind the successful man confident that the victory is theirs.

The clause covering local self government is believed to be loaded and it is an open secret that in wet counties this clause will be made to cover the issue of local option. It was intended by some to have a local option clause in the platform, but the opposition was so strong that this was abandoned and the "silent" clause inserted.

There is but little interest in the Congressional convention, which adjourned to meet Saturday, August 20th at 10 A. M. Morehead has not made up his mind to accept the nomination and many believe that he will refuse to run. In case he will not, then D. H. Blair, of Winston-Salem, is slated for the office. It is understood that Morenead fears defeat and is considering carefully before making up his mind. He also wants to see how much the people will beg him to make the race.

There was the largest attendance in the history of the party in the State according to leaders of the party. Nearly every delegate was here and a majority of the alternates, in addition to several hundred who were not honored by their county conventions, although they had been prominent in party service.

MADRIZ ENVOYS

Won't Say Whether They Have Come on a Peace Mission.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Modesto Barrios and Sebastian Salinas, special ambassadors of the Madriz faction in Nicaragua, paid an official call at the State Department this morning and presented their credentials. Three letters in Spanish, addressed to Secretary Knox, were also presented. These were turned over to translators. The contents are not known.

Barrios and Salinas were received by an attache of the Latin-American division, who assured them that they would later be received for an audience with the same consideration as had been shown to Dr. Castrillo, the Estrada representative, and Senor Luis Corea, who had previously represented Madriz.

Both the envoys declined to say whether the letters they presented contained any peace proposals. They departed to await a request from the State Department for their presence.

DEATH OF VIRGINIA WARDLAW

Believed That She Deliberately Starved Herself to Death to Prevent Trial for Murder—The Mysterious Sisters.

Newark, N. J., Aug. 11.—Miss Virginia Wardlaw, one of the mysterious sisters under indictment for the murder of Mrs. Ocey W. M. Snead, the East Orange bath tub victim, died in the house of detention here this afternoon. Death was due, in the opinion of physicians, to starvation. The fate of the aged woman in this respect paralleled that of her alleged victim, for doctors who examined Ocey Snead before her death said her ailments were all due to lack of nourishing food.

In the opinion of jail attendants, Miss Wardlaw deliberately starved herself to death. This has revived rumors circulated at the time of Ocey Snead's death, when the history of the mysterious household was under investigation, that a suicide pact existed between Miss Wardlaw and her niece.

For several weeks the woman's condition has been growing worse, and last Monday she was removed from the jail to the house of detention. In the cell she had been occupying was found a quantity of stale food which the prisoner had concealed.

At the aged woman's bedside when she died were her sister, Mrs. Richard Pringle, and her brother, the Rev. Albert Wardlaw, both of Christianburg, Va., who had been called here when her condition became alarming. But her other sisters, Mrs. Caroline B. Martin and Mrs. Mary W. Snead, jointly indicted with her, were in their jail cell as she expired. They were sent for, but the jailer refused to allow them to visit the house of detention without the word of a physician that their sister was at the point of death.

What effect Virginia Wardlaw's death will have on the fate of her sister is still to be determined.

She was the dominating influence of the strange household, and predictions were made tonight that Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Snead may never be brought to trial.

FATHER KILLED SON.

Horrible Murder in Davie County. Result of Dispute.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 11. — Thomas Jarvis, a young Davie county farmer, was killed in a horrible manner by his father, William Jarvis, near Advance.

It appears that thhe father and son got into a dispute, when the former drew his knife and cut the latter across the abdomen from hip to hip, after which the father stamped the son until his bowels protruded. The son died, and the father has thus far escaped arrest.

TWO CITIES' POPULATION.

Census of Kansas City, Mo., and New Haven, Conn.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The population of Kansas City, Mo., is 248,381, an increase of 84,629, or 51.7 per cent, as compared with 163,752 in 1900. The population of New Haven, Conn., is 133,605, an increase of 25,578, or 23.7 per cent, as compared with 108,127 in 1900.

VISITORS AT SUMMER CAPITAL

Mexican Ambassador Makes Call on President—Has Decided to Avoid Cape Hatteras on Panama Trip.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 11.—The Mexican ambassador, Senor De LaBarra, visited President Taft for half an hour this afternoon. The ambassador is returning to Mexico soon and come to pay his leave taking respects to the chief executive. The President was most cordial in his greetings and apparently enjoyed the informal chat which followed:

"It is an inspiration to my people", said the ambassador after his call, "to know that Mexico has such a warm good friend as President Taft. I deeply appreciated and recipocated, on behalf of my people his many expresions of good will and friendship. The President is always most gracious and his cordiality today was an evidence of the sincerity of the relations existing between the United States and Mexico."

It is understood that the President sent a message of felicitation to President Diaz, who he met and exchanged visits with at El Paso and Ciudad Juraez last October.

Representative Weeks, of Massachusetts, one of the keen political observers reported to President Taft this afternoon the impressions he had gained from a recent trip through Minnesota, Montana, Washington, California and other Western States. He declared that "everything looked mighty bright for Republican successes at the polls this Fall."

Mr. Weeks said that despite the recent events in Kansas and Iowa, the Middle-west is "swinging into line for the administration and will give a good account of itself."

Secretary of the Navy Meyer paid a brief call at Burgess Point this afternoon and had a preliminary talk with the President regarding his trip to Panama in November. Details of the trip are to be arranged later. It seems settled, however, that the President will sail from Charleston, thus avoiding the treacherous waters around Cape Hatteras. As on the accasion of his last visit to the Isthmus, it is likely that the President will sail on one of the armored cruisers of the Atlantic fleet and that a second cruiser will be sent along as a convoy and for use in case of any emergency.

VEHICLES TO COST MORE.

Demand for Labor and Increased Cost of Material Assigned as Reasons.

Louisville, Aug. 11.—The great demand for competent workmen of certain classes by the automobile factories in the country and the steep advances in prices of materials used in the construction of carriages are two of the reasons assigned by the delegates to the annual meeting of the Carriage Manufacturers' Association of North America, for the proposed advance in the price of carriages and light vehicles. Leather, lumber, rubber and steel are materials used in the manufacture of carriages.

The delegates refused to divulge the exact increase in the price of carriages which they propose. Their meetings are being held behnd closed doors here.

BRISTOW CHARGES DECLARED ABSURD

Aldrich Explains Rubber Tariff Matter and Flays Kansas Senator.

DENIES THAT TRUST EXISTS

Asserts That He is Director of Rubber Company—Deals With Each Charge at Great Length—Emphatic Statement.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, of Rhode Island, enumerating the counts under which he was indicted by Senator Joseph W. Bristow, of Kansas, in recent campaign speeches, dealing with the tariff on rubber, in a letter made public tonight denies the charges in their entirety. Incidentally he pays his respects in caustic language to Senator Bristow and what he terms a "little group of men" which entertain opinions similar to those of the Kansan.

The letter is addressed to Hon. William B. McKinley, of Illinois, chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee and was sent to the headquarters of the committee in this city.

The explanation of the rubber duties and the denial of the charges made against him by Senator Bristow are based upon the fact that Senator Aldrich was called upon by a Republican candidate for Congress to furnish the facts connected with the charges made in the recent tariff act.

Referring to the charges made by Senator Bristow as "absurd misstatements" Senator Aldrich said the persistent reiteration of them impelled him to make a full statement. At the outset of his long letter, the Senator divided the speeches by Mr. Bristow into five parts, each of which contained a specific charge. He then dealt with them in order.

In the first place the Senator declared the increase from 30 to 35 per cent. on a small number of articles of manufactured rubber articles was for the purpose of making the tarif uniform on kindred articles and facilitating the labors of the customs officers. In that connection he made public a letter to him from General Thad S. Sharrots, a member of the New York Board of General Appraisers, asserting that the change was advisable and had been agreed to unanimously by the Senate and House committees and by the conferees on the tariff bill at the earnest solicitation of the tariff experts of the treasury department.

Laying particular stress upon this charge made by Mr. Bristow, the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee said that "Neither he, nor any member of his family, has ever had any pecuniary interest as to whether the rates on manufactures of rubber were 30, 35 or 300 per cent., or whether crude rubber was on the free or dutiable list."

Dealing then with the charges that the Inter-Continental Rubber Company, of which he is a director, is a trust, that it advanced the price of crude rubber and controlled the world's supply, and that the company had paid enormous dividends, Mr. Aldrich treated each separately and at great length.

Without raising any issue concerning the "progressives" campaign generally, Mr. Aldrich referred to Mr. Bristow and his immediate associates as follows:

"In the tariff discussions of other days, the advocates of the protective policy have usually been called to meet in debate men with convictions on the subject—Democrats of character, whose theories of government differed completely from those held by Republican protectionists—men who had some regard for the accuracy of their statements and some knowledge

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OUTLINES.

Mayor Gaynor, who was shot in New York last Tuesday, was holding his own, according to the latest bulletins from his bedside last night, and his chance for recovery is favorable ——Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, in a letter yesterday, denied the charges made by Senator Bristow in regard to the tariff on rubber, and declared his statement was absurd——Former President Roosevelt yesterday spent a day on the farms of Long Island. He returned to Oyster Bay last night——President Taft had a number of visitors at Beverly yesterday, among whom was the Mexican ambassador, who made a farewell call on the President ——On account of a disagreement, the Kaufman-Langford bout, scheduled for last night in Philadelphia, was called off——Denver was selected yesterday as the place for the Conclave of Knights Templar in 1913——New York markets: Money on call easy, 1 1-2 to 1 3-4 per cent; ruling rate, 1 3-4; closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 1 1-2; flour steady to firm at the old level of prices; spot cotton closed quiet, 25 points lower; middling uplands, 15.70; middling gulf, 15.95; wheat, spot strong; new No. 2 red, $1.08 elevator and $1.09 1-4 f. o. b.; No. 1 Northern, $1.27 f. o. b. to arrive; corn, spot firm; No. 2, 73 3-4 nominal elevator; domestic basis to arrive; oats, spot mixed nominal; rosin firm; turpentine steady.

CORONER'S JURY ON HOLLY INQUIRY

Circumstances of Rock Spring Hotel Fire Still Under Investigation.

DEATH OF YOUNG CROMWELL

Number of Developments Yesterday. "Bateman Drops" Sold to Proprietor Tuesday Night—Prisoner Retains Counsel.

By far the most important development yesterday in connection with the inquiry by the coroner and his jury into the circumstances of the death of young Edward Cromwell, who lost his life in the Rock Springs Hotel fire Tuesday night, was the discovery by Dr. C. D. Bell, the coroner, that Mr. L. B. Sasser, proprietor of the Mission Pharmacy, had sold and delivered in person to J. C. Holly, propretor of the hotel, 16 ounces of Bateman's drops, containing laudanum, etc., about 10 o'clock the night of the fire, and the subsequent find by the physician of the bottle in the hotel with less than a teaspoonful of the drug in it.

Dr. Bell stated that 16 ounces, equal to a pint, was sufficient to kill several persons. The purchase of the drops and the finding of the bottle almost empty will probably be put before the coroner's jury this morning in the form of evidence.

Another feature of yesterday's investigations was the testimony of Fireman Jackson to the effect that while making an examination of the hotel building, he found on the bed in the room occupied by young Cromwell a small tin box in which was a small quantity of liquid of highly offensive odor. The fireman did not think to take charge of the box, and efforts to find it yesterday proved futile. Some are inclined to think that this box might have much to do with solving the mystery surrounding the death of the young man. Still another matter of some interest, though probably of no greater importance, brought out was the fact that there was an "ice cream supper" at the hotel about 10 o'clock Tuesday night, and that young Cromwell ate an ice cream cone at the same time the others at the boarding house were eating cream purchased from a drug store or confectionery stand. According to the witness who testified to the eating of the ice cream, young Cromwell purchased his ice cream from an ice cream cone vender. However, the testimony is considered somewhat material to the case.

There is no doubt, it is said, in the minds of those conducting the investigation that the fire was of an incendiary origin, and they are almost as firmly convinced that murder was committed, the only thing now being the question of responsibility for the crime, and whether or not more than one person was concerned, if indeed the youth met with foul play. Probably never before in the history of the State has a coroner's jury gone quite so thoroughly into the circumstances of the death of a person thought to have been the victim of foul play. Every particle of evidence tending in the slightest to throw light on the admittedly mysterious affair, is being sought by the jurors and others connected with the inquiry, and it is quite safe to say that no verdict will be rendered until every person thought to know something of the matter has been examined. The fact that they have already given two days to an investigation and propose to meet again today is proof of this. Nearly every witness who has testified before the jury has stated that the bedding in the room in which the young man's body was found was thoroughly saturated with kerosene oil, and no one who visited the room during or after the fire has given contrary evidence.

While the investigation of the coroner's jury is going on in the court house, J. C. Holly, proprietor of the hotel that was gutted by the flames, is occupying a cell in the county jail a short distance away, almost a nervous wreck, according to the statement of officers, who said that his condition was such as to require the attention of a physician. According to an officer, he wears an even more dejected look than the day before, when he was committed to jail. As stated yesterday morning, those who know him say that his health had been bad for some time, and the strain that he is now bearing is calculated to tell on him.

County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, who is attending the investigation in his official capacity, and Coroner Bell, stated last night that the contents of the stomach of young Cromwell would be sent to Raleigh either today or tomorrow for a chemical analysis, it being understood that the county will pay the expenses of the same. The contents of the stomach have been placed in a jar of alcohol and sealed, and physicians say that it can be preserved indefinitely. The jar will not be trusted by express, owing to danger of breakage, but will be sent to Raleigh in charge of a thoroughly reliable person.

The body of young Cromwell, after being prepared for burial by Undertaker W. W. King, Wednesday afternoon, was interred in Bellevue ceme-

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THE WORLD OF SPORTS

RACING — BASEBALL — BOXING

WAS NO GAME IN WILMINGTON

Storm Came and Rains Descended All Afternoon—Doubleheader Scheduled for Today—Raleigh Red Birds Here.

Results Yesterday.
Wilson 2; Fayetteville 1.
Rocky Mount 2; Goldsboro 4.
Wilmington-Raleigh, rain.

Where They Play Today.
Goldsboro at Rocky Mount.
Fayetteville at Wilson.
Raleigh at Wilmington.

The storm came, the rains descended in torrents and there was no game in the Eastern Carolina League on the local lot yesterday, the opening of the series on the home grounds with the Raleigh Red Birds having been deferred until today when there will be a giant doubleheader with the first game at 3 o'clock.

All the fans are expected to turn out and show their appreciation of what the Sailor crew is serving just now in a high-class article of the National sport. All the teams are now on a solid footing and the race for the rag in the second series is by no means certain. Rocky Mount, which lost yesterday to Goldsboro is strengthening an Associated Press dispatch from Chicago stating that among the releases in the American League announced yesterday was that by Philadelphia to Rocky Mount, N. C., of J. Leary. He is expected to report with the wrecking outfit at once.

TEDDY GETS CROP OF IDEAS.

Spent Day on Farm Lands of Long Island—Missouri Farmer.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Theodore Roosevelt gathered in a crop of ideas on practical farming today in an all day trip over farm lands of Long Island. He spent most of the day near Medford. Later he went to the region near Wading river, 15 miles to the northeast and saw what is being done there along the same lines. He returned to Oyster Bay at 5 o'clock.

Col. Roosevelt made the trip to learn how the Long Island farmers are living and what is being done to raise produce and establish dairies near New York. Ralph Peters, president of the Long Island Railroad, and H. B. Fullerton, a superintendent of experimental farms, accompanied him.

Mr. Fullerton is a westerner who came East to Long Island when the West became too highly civilized and found a real wilderness fifty miles from New York. He told the Colonel an anecdote. He said:

"A fellow came out here from Missouri. He said to me: 'I hear you raise alfalfa on Long Island.'

"'We do,' said I. 'Can a fellow see it,' said he. 'He can,' said I.

"I showed him alfalfa and he said: What a dum fool I am. I've been raising alfalfa in Missouri and feeding it to hogs which are shipped all the way to New York. I'm going to buy some land here and raise my alfalfa and hogs.' And he did it."

Col. Roosevelt laughed heartily at the story, and asked: "Can I see the man from Missouri?"

"No," said Fullerton. "He went to New York and met some fellows with diamond horseshoes on who took him to Wall street. Next time I saw him he had a diamond horse shoe on. 'Je-rusalem!' said he. 'I like the hog game, but the Wall street game is better. I hit 'er right every time.' He made a fortune in Wall street."

"That was since I went to Africa," Col. Roosevelt said.

The Colonel spent an hour eating a farm dinner and then boarded a high wheeled automobile. The road wound over the backbone of the island, through a wild and desolate region. Most of the way the road consisted of a clearing through the woods and the wheels sank deep in the sand. The engine balked at two hills and both times Colonel Roosevelt got out and pushed the automobile from behind with all his might. The party later got back on the special train which had made a detour to meet it.

ANOTHER BUTLER SCORES.

George E. Named for Slaughter in Third Congressional District.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 11.—This afternoon Major George E. Butler was unanimously named by the Republican delegates of the Third Congressional District for Congress, to make the race against Dr. John M. Faison, the Democratic nominee.

The convention was called to order by Mr. Robert Hancock, as chairman of the executive committee, who requested Mr. George Green, of Newbern, to preside as temporary chairman, and he was afterwards made permanent chairman. After the nomination of Major Butler, he was vociferously "called for," and responded in a rambling speech that had neither point in its statements, enthusiasm in its deliverance, nor hope in its refrain.

After he concluded, "Brother" Marion was called, and after making a short talk he closed by saying that he would help "Brother" George on the stump.

Mr. E. W. Hill then made a short address, after which the convention adjourned, with a "crowd of delegates" hanging around Brothers George and Marion like Gen. Grant hanging around Richmond.

ALABAMA LYNCHING.

Negro Confessed Crime and Was Strung Up by Planters.

Helena, Ala., Aug. 11.—Jim Toler, a negro, was lynched early this morning at Alamo, seven miles from here by a mob for having entered the room of two daughters of a prominent planter of Montgomery county Tuesday night, while the girls were asleep. The negro was caught, confessed his guilt and was tied to a trees, and shot to death.

HEARNE ADDS ANOTHER STAR

Score Two to One in Wilson's Favor Yesterday Afternoon—Galvin Sharpe and Phelan Contribute the Features.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., Aug. 11.—Wilson's big boy, Hearne, added another star to his crown of glory this afternoon. McCathron was in the box for Fayetteville and yielded only five hits to the Champions. The features of the game were Galvin's four times at the bat and getting three hits and Sharpe's run-getting, he making both for Wilson and Phelan's high jump, cutting off what might have been a wild throw in the ninth, thus cinching the game for Wilson.

The Tabulated Score.

Fayetteville.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Mullen, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Dwyer, 1b	4	0	1	8	1	0
O'Halloran, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	1
Peartree, lf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Landgraff, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	1
Boyle, rf	2	1	1	2	0	1
Cantwell, ss	3	0	0	1	7	0
Galvin, c	4	0	3	4	0	0
McCathron, p	3	0	0	1	4	0
Mayer, 5th lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Bentley, 9th	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	1	8	24	13	3

Bentley bats for Cantwell in 9th.

Wilson.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
McGeehan, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Jacobs, 3b	4	0	1	3	3	0
Westlake, c	4	0	0	8	0	0
Miller, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Sheridan, cf	2	0	0	3	0	0
Phelan, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Armstrong, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sharpe, ss	2	2	1	1	1	0
Hearne, p	2	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	27	2	5	27	7	0

The Score By Innings.

Fayetteville	010 000 000—1
Wilson	001 000 01x—2

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Sheridan, Hearne; bases on balls, McCathron; struck out McCathron 3; Hearne 5; two base hits Galvin, McGeehan, Sharpe; left on bases, Fayetteville 7, Wilson 4; time 1:40; umpire, Henderson; attendance 428.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Walsh came within one strike out of equalling the American League record today against Boston, fanning fifteen batters and allowing three hits, the White Sox winning, 1 to 0, on Dougherty's triple in the second, followed by Purtell's sacrifice fly. Smith allowed but three hits.

Boston	000 000 000—0	3	0
Chicago	010 000 000—1	3	

Smith and Kleinow; Sullivan, Walsh and Payne. Umpires, Evans and Colliflower. Time, 1:45.

Detroit, Aug. 11.—Morgan's wildness was fatal to Philadelphia today, and Detroit was victorious in an up-hill game. Only one hit, that a bunt, figured in the scoring of the home team's first four runs. Singles by Mullin and D. Jones and Delehanty's double scored the winning run in the ninth.

Philadelphia	200 100 100—4	8	1
Detroit	001 001 021—5	8	5

Mullin and Schmidt; Morgan and Thomas. Time, 2:14. Umpires, Connolly and Kerin.

St. Louis, Aub. 11.—New York tied today's game with St. Louis in the ninth inning, and won in the tenth, 3 to 1. Lake was effective until the ninth inning, while Warhop pitched good ball for the visitors.

New York	000 000 001 2—3	8	2
St. Louis	000 000 100 0—1	5	2

Warhop, Criger and Mitchell; Lake and Killifer. Time, 1:37. Umpires, Perrine and Dineen.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 1.—Washington won two games from Cleveland today, 6 to 0 and 4 to 3. Johnson held Cleveland to two scratch hits in the first, and Walker was effective except in the sixth inning.

Cleveland	000 000 000—0	2	1
Washington	210 102 000—6	10	2

Fanwell, Link and Bemis; Johnson and Beckendorf. Time, 1:21. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Egan.

Second:

Cleveland	000 003 000—3	7	1
Washington	000 011 020—4	10	1

Falkenberg and Easterly; Walker and Ainsworth. Time, 2:00. Umpires, Egan and O'Loughlin.

MISS LEVENE GETS WIG.

Transformation in Appearance of Girl Who Skipped With Crippen.

Quebec, Que., Aug. 11.—Ethel Clare Leneve will return to England to stand trial on a charge of murder, wearing one of the best wigs to be found in Quebec. The girl today gave $20 to Matron Philips, of the Provincial jail, all that was left of the $60 she brought from Antwerp on her flight with Dr. Crippen, and told her to buy a "peruke" that would repair to best advantage the ravages inflicted by Crippen when he cut off her light brown tresses to disguise her as a boy.

The matron brought back a wig that is said to work a wonderful transformation in the girl's appearance. She will not wear it in jail, but will reserve it for the return voyage, and her appearance in court in England.

Inspector Dew today said that Sergeant Mitchell and the two Scotland Yards wardesses who will help him guard his prisoners on the return journey, were on the Lake Manitoba. This steamer is due here late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. Dew would not say on what steamer his pary expects to return.

Cleveland, O., August 11.—Dudie Archdale, winner of the $10,000 merchants and manufacturers' stake last week, landed the $5,000 Ohio stake the biggest feature of the programme at North Randall track today. It took two heats only for the Geers mare to capture first money.

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M'DONALD POLES OUT ANOTHER

Home Run With Man on Base in Game With Rocky Mount Yesterday. Score Was Four to Two. Errors.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 11.—Goldsboro practically won the game in the fourth inning, when McDonald hit the ball over the fence with one on base for a home run. The game abounded in errors.

The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gates, 3b	5	0	1	3	1	1
Sharpe, 2b	5	0	1	1	3	1
Handiboe, cf	4	2	1	1	0	0
McDonald, 1b	4	1	1	16	2	0
Morgan, ss	3	1	1	1	2	0
Evans, lf	3	0	3	0	0	0
Dailey, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Fulton, c	4	0	0	2	3	0
Merchant, p	4	0	1	2	3	0
Totals	35	4	9	27	14	2

Rocky Mount.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Schuman, rf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Gastmeyer, 2b	4	0	0	1	6	2
Stein, lf	4	1	2	3	0	1
Creagan, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Gillespie, 3b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Forgue, ss	4	0	0	2	5	2
Sharry, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Leary, c	2	1	2	9	2	0
Griffin, p	2	0	0	0	6	1
Wilson, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	2	7	27	18	6

The Score By Innings.

Goldsboro	003 000 010—4
Rocky Mount	000 011 000—2

Summary—Sacrifice hits, McDonald, Morgan, Evans, Creagan, Leary, Wilson; hit by pitched ball, Leary; bases on balls, Griffin 1, Wilson 1, Merchant 2; struck out, Merchant 1, Griffin 6, Wilson 2; wild pitches, Griffin 1; two base hits, Evans, Merchant, Gates, Schuman, Gillespie; double plays Merchant, Fulton, McDonald, Wilson, Leary, Sharry; left on bases, Rocky Mount 7, Goldsboro 3; time 1:45; umpire, Barre; attendance 425.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, Aug. 11.—New York took two games from Cincinnati today, 5 to 4 and 3 to 2. There were four home runs made, the circuit smashes of Doyle and Snodgrass in the first game giving the Giants all their tallies. The deciding run in the last game resulted from DeVoe's four-bagger.

Cincinnati	011 002 000—4	11	3
New York	003 020 00*—5	9	3

Rowan and McLean; Mathewson and Myers. Time, 1:37.

Second game:

Cincinnati	000 002 000—2	6	1
New York	200 010 00*—3	11	1

Suggs and McLean; Ames and Schlei. Umpires, Eason and Johnston. Time, 1:42.

Brooklyn, Aug. 11.—Pittsburg shut out Brooklyn in their first clash of the present series today, 3 to 0. It was a brilliant fielding contest, in which the outfielders carried off the honors, Leach especially starring with sensational catches.

Pittsburg	000 000 210—3	9	0
Brooklyn	000 000 000—0	6	0

White and Gibson; Barger and Erwin. Umpires, O'Day and Brennan. Time, 1:36.

Philadelphia, Aug. 11. — St. Louis was defeated here today in a hard hitting game by the score of 6 to 3.

St. Louis	000 210 000—3	9	1
Philadelphia	000 103 11*—6	13	0

Willis and Bresnahan; Ewing and Dooin. Umpires, Rigler and Emslie. Time, 1:52.

At Boston-Chicago, rain.

NO KAUFMAN-LANGFORD BOUT.

Contest Called Off After Disagreement Over the Receipts.

Philadelphia, Aug. 11.—The six-round contest between Sam Langford and Al Kaufman, scheduled for tonight on the grounds of the Philadelphia National League Baseball Club, was today called off because of a disagreement over the division of the receipts. Langford, who refused to fight, forfeits $250, which will be divided between Kaufman and Harry Edwards, of this city, the promoter of the bout.

After the bout was postponed last evening Joe Woodman, Langford's manager, notified Edwards that Langford would not fight Kaufman tonight, but was willing to sign for a bout next Wednesday night. The reason given was that Langford would not be in the best condition, after a lay-off of 24 hours, and that his reputation was too valuable to risk in that way. A hasty conference was held, and when Billy Delaney, Kaufman's trainer, ridiculed the excuse given, Woodman stated that the negro would agree to go on tonight if guaranteed $7,500. The men had agreed to fight for a percentage. Edwards asked time to consider the matter, and today announced that he would not agree to the proposition, and called the bout off. An effort was made to have another heavyweight meet Kaufman, but Edwards would not listen to it.

Edwards was incensed at the turn in affairs, and declared that Langford deliberately crawled out of the match.

ALARM AT STAUNTON, VA.

House Swallowed Up in Earth and Buildings Threatened.

Staunton, Va., Aug. 11.—A two-story house and a large tree have been swallowed up in the earth, many other residences are sinking and have been abandoned by their occupants and public buildings are endangered as the result of the boring of an 800 foot well in the public square here.

Wide cracks in the earth are spreading, threatening the postoffice and public building. The walls of the school house already are cracked. Residents are much alarmed and heroic efforts are being made to prevent further caving in of the earth.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

EASTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Raleigh	9	5	.643
Wilson	10	6	.625
Fayetteville	8	8	.500
Goldsboro	7	8	.467
Rocky Mount	6	8	.429
Wilmington	5	10	.333

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	63	33	.656
Pittsburg	58	38	.604
New York	57	39	.593
Philadelphia	49	48	.505
Cincinnati	49	51	.490
Brooklyn	41	57	.418
St. Louis	39	60	.394
Boston	36	66	.353

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Athletics	68	32	.680
Boston	60	48	.583
Detroit	58	45	.563
Cleveland	48	52	.480
New York	37	46	.445
Washington	43	61	.413
Chicago	41	59	.410
St. Louis	31	68	.333

MINOR LEAGUES.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 4; Nashville 1.
At Montgomery 0; New Orleans 6.
At Birmingham 1; Mobile 0.
No other games scheduled.

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville 2; Columbia 1. Second game: Columbia 1; Jacksonville 2.
At Macon 7; Augusta 0.
At Savannah—Columbus 0; Savannah 3.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 9; Petersburg 3.
At Richmond 1; Lynchburg 1 (12 innings, darkness).
At Norfolk 0; Danville 2.

Carolina League.

At Winston-Salem 3; Anderson 0.
At Charlotte 5; Greensboro 1.
At Spartanburg 1; Greenville 1 (11 innings, darkness).

TALKS OF ARMY CANTEEN.

Rev. Waring Thinks Mistake Was Made in Abolishing It.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 11.—Although he did not directly advocate the re-establishment of the army canteen, Rev. Father George J. Waring, chaplain of the Eleventh Cavalry, U. S. A., implied that its abolishment was a mistake, in an address before the National Convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union here today. Father Waring defended the reputation of the army man, and declared that the soldier was driven to drink largely by the fact that he was practically barred from high class places of amusement and refreshment. He added:

"He has been deprived of a canteen where he was accustomed to get a glass of pure beer without going away from his home, and where he could neither meet bad company nor drink to excess. He is shunned by all respectable people. His self respect is crushed within him, and he naturally enters the only open door—that of the saloon."

Rev. Father Walter J. Shalley, of Danbury, Conn., former president of the National Union, advocated political activity on the part of the members of the Union to secure more drastic laws against the liquor traffic, and to combat the political work of the liquor interests whose powers in elections and legislative bodies he denounced as "a foul blot on our boasted civilization."

HARRY LEVY'S WORK.

Wins $50 From American Tobacco Company—An Outing.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lynchburg, Va., Aug. 11.—Harry Levy, the big right fielder of the Lynchburg baseball team, who recently won $50 offered by the American Tobacco Company, for hitting a ball on the Danville grounds that struck the bull on its advertisement, has invited the members of the team and their ladies to go with him to Forest Sunday for an outing to be provided for with the $50. The wives of the baseball colony are expected to go on the trip, and some few fans have been asked.

Levy not only hit the bull on the July trip of the Shoemakers to Danville, but in that same game he secured a home run, which entitled him to a ten-pound bag of smoking tobacco. He pitched and played right field last season for Wilmington in the Eastern Carolina League. Here this year his hard stick work has made him very popular with the patrons of the game.

ANSON SECOND PRIMARY.

D. M. Johnson for Register of Deeds. Other Officers Named.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wadesboro, N. C., Aug. 11.—In the primary in Anson today D. M. Johnson was nominated over C. W. Thomas, the present incumbent for Register of Deeds, by a majority of 108, and R. J. Lowry was nominated over T. S. Clark for sheriff by a majority of 300. P. P. Marsh was nominated for treasurer by T. J. Watkins by a majority of 374. This was the second primary, the first being held August 4th, in which W. K. Boggan was nominated for Clerk of the Superior Court, and Adam Green for coroner.

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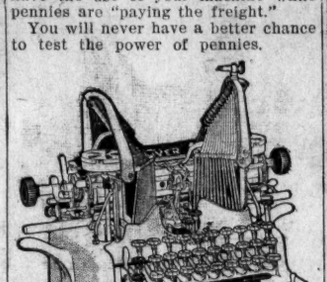

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GOVERNOR NAMES DELEGATES

International Congress on Hygiene at Washington in September—Council of State—Near Beer Conditions in Country.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 11.—Governor Kitchin today issued commissions to physicians in various parts of the State to represent North Carolina at the International Congress on Hygiene and Demography, at Washington, D. C., September 26 to October 1st.

They are as follows: W. S. Rankin, Raleigh; G. G. Thomas, Wilmington; Thomas E. Anderson, Statesville; J. Howell Way, Waynesville; W. O. Spencer, Winston-Salem; Edward C. Register, Charlotte; David T. Tayloe, Washington; Richard H. Lewis, Raleigh; J. L. Nicholson, Richland; J. C. Rodman, Washington; B. K. Hayes, Oxford; L. B. McBrayer, Asheville; W. W. McKenzie, Salisbury; H. H. Dobson, Greensboro; John Bynum, Winston-Salem; E. J. Wood, Harllee Bellamy, Wilmington; C. V. Reynolds, Asheville; J. E. Dowdy, J. F. Shaffner, Winston-Salem; H. T. Tranthan, Salisbury; F. O. Hawley, Charlotte; T. N. Jordan, Raleigh; T. A. Mann, Durham; S. P. Bass, Tarboro; I. P. Battle, Rocky Mount; N. B. Herring, Wilson; T. L. Ginn, Goldsboro; J. F. Patterson, Newbern; C. B. William, Elizabeth City; Joseph Akerman, Wilmington; L. Glenn, Gastonia; John A. Ferrall, Raleigh; C. A. Julian, Thomasville; J. R. Gordon, Jamestown; J. E. Brooks, Aberdeen; D. A. Stanton, High Point; M. Bolton, Rich Square; Cyrus Thompson, Jacksonville; R. S. Young, Concord; LeRoy Dunn, C. L. Minor, Asheville; James McKee, Raleigh; John McCampbell, Morganton; H. T. Walker, Elizabeth City; W. F. Hargrave, J. W. Parrott and T. W. Parrott, Kinston; J. F. Highsmith, J. V. McGougan, Fayetteville; T. M. Green, Wilmington; Marion King, Durham; Isaac Menning, Chapel Hill; J. P. Monroe, Charlotte; J. B. Powers, Jr., Wake Forest; Hubert Royster, Raleigh; William Graham, Durham; W. A. Bradshear, Roxboro; J. M. Manning, Durham; C. A. Shore, Raleigh; Dr. A. W. Knox, J. R. Rogers, Raleigh; A. H. Pendleton, Henderson; R. N. Duffy, Newbern; I. E. Green, Weldon; L. A. Walker, Burlington; G. W. Long, Graham; J. M. Covington, Jr., Wadesboro; P. A. Nicholson, Washington; L. B. Evans, Clarkton; C. V. Jones, Hillsboro; D. A. Dees, Bayboro; R. H. Bradford, Burgaw; T. S. McMullan, Hertford; C. G. Nichols, Roxboro; William Fountain, Greenville; C. D. McPhail, Rockingham; E. B. Harris, Rutherfordton; K. S. Blue, Laurinburg; J. W. Neal, Meadows; Goode Cheatham, Brevard; W. A. McPhaul, Lumberton; J. L. Spruill, Columbia; P. J. Macon, Warrenton; W. H. Hard, Plymouth; J. M. Hodges, Boone; W. S. Anderson, W. B. Robertson, Burnesville; D. E. Severier, Asheville; J. R. Anderson, Morganton; C. G. Gregory, W. E. Headen, Morehead City; S. A. Maloy, Yanceyville; L. E. Farthing, Pittsboro; H. M. S. Cason, Edenton; J. M. Sullivan, Haynesville; T. E. McBrayer, Shelby; H. B. Maxwell, Whiteville; F. P. Cates, Manteo; K. F. Yarborough, Louisburg; W. C. P. Lee, Gates; J. H. Mitchell, Ahoskie; R. A. Whitaker, Kinston; C. S. McLaughlin, Charlotte; G. McLeod, Carthage; Lynn McIver, Sanford; W. H. Lewis, Jackson. There are two other gentlemen, not physicians, commissioned as follows: Col. J. L. Ludlow, Winston-Salem, and J. L. Pritchard, Windsor.

There was a conference today between the Governor, his Council of State and Hon. W. D. Turner, M. D. Ansley, representing the directors of the Statesville Air Line railway, Statesville to Mt. Airy, now under construction, with reference to securing the long promised squad of State convicts to take a hand in the construction of the road. There is a bonded debt already voted by the people along the line, averaging $6,000 per mile toward the construction, the aggregate being $360,000. It seems that the only convicts that could be assigned to this work are still detained in the work on the Mattamuskeet road in Hyde and Beaufort counties, so that the Council of State could give no positive assurance as to just when the convicts can be furnished. There is a special act of the Legislature authorizing the use of the convicts on this road, the State to receive pay in stock in the road.

At an early hour this morning the night watchman in the agricultural building discovered fire in the State laboratory that he extinguished with considerable difficulty, it having evidently originated from a defective electric light wire. It is in this building that the State museum, the hall of history and other very valuable property that could not be duplicated is located, and close by it is the State library, the law library, Supreme court and other department records, in just as dangerous a building. The clamor for a fireproof State building gets new impetus from this incident.

Complaint comes from several sections of Wake county that crossroads stores and other places right out in the country without any police protection are beginning to sell near-beer in connection with soft drink business, and that much of it is intoxicatingly strong, giving rise to a great amount of disorder that the country people have been rid of ever since the Watts law was enacted, before State prohibition times. In several localities it is said that, while local tax for the improvement of schools have recently been voted, many of the people of the districts are actually fearing that disorder will be so rampant through this near-beer condition that it will be dangerous to let the children make their way through the country roads to new school houses. Deputy Clerk Joseph Seawell, of the Supreme Court, says this is especially the case in the Knightsville section, five miles from Raleigh. He lives in that district, and drives to and from town daily.

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BIG RALLY AT ROCKY POINT

Address by Rivers D. Johnson, Esq., Mayor of Warsaw and Nominee for State Senate—Picnic and Other Festivities.

Rocky Point, N. C., Aug. 11.—Rocky Point Academy was the scene of a merry assemblage of old and young folks alike yesterday when the annual Farmers' Rally of Pender county was held. There were present representatives of every township, and a goodly number of visitors from Wilmington, N. C., while some were from as far as Petersburg and Richmond, Va.

Immediately after the arival of the train from Wilmington the exercises began. There was dancing galore until 11:30, when, upon the arrival of the speakers, the meeting was called to order by Mr. T. J. Strong, of Rocky Point, who introduced the speaker of the day, Mr. Rivers Johnson, mayor of Warsaw, and the Democratic nominee for State Senate from Duplin. Mr. Johnson was received with much aplause, and began his a ddress by telling some of the history of Rocky Point. He went back to the time of Captain Hilton, who sailed up the Northeast river in the year 1663. He told of Captain Hilton's meeting the tribe of Indians named Burgaws, from which the county seat of Pender derived the name. He called attention to the great change that had transpired since that time, and spoke of the great truck and fruit industry of Rocky Point, which has grown from the enormous proportion of 1,000 crates of strawberries in 1900 to 17,000 cates in 1910. He spoke of the good nature and contentment of the people of Pender, relating an amusing parable of the Rocky Point people in heaven, saying that a lawyer, upon arriving in heaven, asked if there were any people from Rocky Point up there. He was told "Yes" by St. Peter, and shown a stockade. The lawyer's query was, "What did he keep them locked in for?" Upon which St. Peter replied that if they were loose they would return to Rocky Point. Bringing in the subject of education, he said that this State as second to none in the world in its advancement of education, even leading Massachusetts. He told of the advancement of the country school from the old log hut to the modern building of three or four rooms. He advised the young men to stay at home and work, and not waste their lives in other places trying to gain fame when their duty lay at their birthright. In concluding, Mr. Johnson thanked the ladies and gentlemen for their attention, and reminded them that he was still a candidate for Senator from the Duplin district. Immediately after the speech everyone retired to the pine grove on the outside, where they were served a most sumptuous dinner—one that only Pender can serve. Everyone fed themselves to the queen's taste, and there were baskts still left untouched. Especial mention should be made of the fine "Pender peanut ham," raised on historic Lillington Hall, by the up-to-date farmer, Mr. Henry Shaw, Esq.

The baseball game that was scheduled for the afternoon between R. P. and Burgaw had to be postponed on account of rain. The crowd was estimated at 400, and all seemed to have a swell time, not a single incident happening through the day to mar the pleasure of the occasion.

Mr. E. D. Pearsall was at the head of the programme and refreshment committee, and Mr. Preston Sparkman, chairman of the dance committee, and that in itself assured the success of those features. The music was furnished by an orchestra which came up from Wilmington and remained over last night to give the young folks a chance to trip the light fantastic. There was much general regret because of the necessity of postponing the game of baseball between Rocky Point and Burgaw, and the weather man came in for his share of the abuse. These teams have always been old-time rivals, and the game to have been played yesterday was to decide the championship of Pender county. About 50 Wilmingtonians came up this morning to attend the festivities, and about half the number remained over night to attend the dance, which was continued after supper, and which lasted till the wee sma' hours.

BEAUFORT DEMOCRATS.

Well Attended and Enthusiastic Convention—The Nominees.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., Aug. 11.—One of the largest and most enthusiastic conventions of the Democratic party was held in the county court house in this city yesterday and last night. The convention was called to order at 11 o'clock, and it was 11 o'clock last night before the convention finished its business.

The main part of the day was taken up by the credentials committee, which had to pass upon the votes of one or two contested precincts. A number of resolutions were passed by the convention to the effect that the representatives and Senators from Beaufort county be introduced to have a law passed changing the remuneration of the county officers from the fee to the salary system; also that no county officer hold office longer than two terms. The following ticket was nominated by the convention: Representatives, W. A. Thompson and J. F. Latham; sheriff, George E. Hicks; treasurer, E. R. Mixon; register of deeds, Gilbert Rumley; commissioners, S. F. Freeman, F. H. Voneberstein, W. F. Gaylord, O. B. Wynn and W. W. Hooker.

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Third Day of State Convention in Session at Raleigh.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, Aug. 11.—Many pertinent topics, primary class demonstration by Joe Weathers, superintendent of primary department of Tabernacle Baptist Church Sunday School, white, were prominent events of today's session of the colored State Baptist Sunday School convention.

Rev. Dr. J. E. Ford, pastor of the largest negro institutional church in the country, at Jacksonville, Fla., eloquently addressed the convention.

Prof. L. G. O'Kelly, vice president of the National Religious Training School and Chautauqua for the colored race, in Durham, made a brief presentation of the work of the institution. He outlined its aims, scope and advantages. He said that the chautauqua was a phenomenal success, and the prospects for the school the coming session are highly encouraging.

"Sunday School Evangelism" was the caption of the address delivered at tonight's session by Dr. Shepard, of Durham. C. C. Spaulding, of Durham, also made an interesting address.

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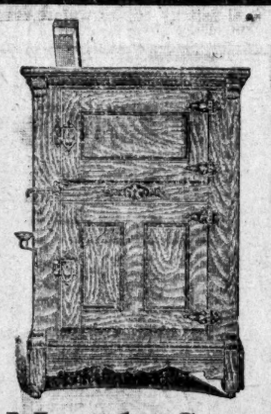

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48	42-86	48-80	a via Petersburg. *Daily	89-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12:36pm	11:00pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12:58pm	5:05am	12:58pm
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00pm	7:05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9:13am	1:40am	.....
5:50pm	a8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a8:00pm	*8:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:52am	1:15am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 40am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11:53am	3:40am	Ar. ..... West Philadelphia ..... Lv.	12 10am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

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53-89	51-83	*Daily	82-50	80-54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:55pm	5:20am
2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:15am
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm
9:40am	1:45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 35am	2 05pm
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am
7:15am	.....	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	9:15am	7:55pm
2:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm
7:00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am
8:55pm	.....	Ar. ..... ST. PETERSBURG ..... Lv.	.....	6:45am
10:20pm	.....	Ar. ..... FORT MYERS ..... Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am

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55	51	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:20am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	6:00am
.....	.....	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
11:30pm	1:10pm	Lv. ..... Columbia ..... Sou. Ry. ..... Ar.	2:30pm	5:00am
5:30am	7:40pm	Ar. ..... Saluda ..... " ..... Lv.	8:45am	10:25pm
6:00am	8:15pm	Ar. ..... Hendersonville ..... " ..... Lv.	8:05am	9:50pm
7:00am	9:15pm	Ar. ..... ASHEVILLE ..... " ..... Lv.	*7:00am	8:50pm
9:05pm	.....	Ar. ..... Knoxville ..... " ..... Lv.	.....	6:30am
8:40am	.....	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	.....	8:00am
8:00am	.....	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	.....	*8:10pm

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57	51-97	55	*Daily	Daily except Sundy.	54	98-50	58
*7:30pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar		1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
9:15pm	7:20am	5:09pm	Ar ..... CHADBOURN ..... Lv.		*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:25am
11:10pm	11:50am	.....	Lv ..... CHADBOURN ..... Ar.		.....	5:00pm	6:10am
12:45am	1:30pm	.....	Ar ..... CONWAY ..... Lv.		.....	13:30pm	*4:45am

61	59	53	*Daily.	Daily ex. Sun.	xSunday only.	60	52
x6:30pm	5:25pm	*8:45am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.			10:15am	8:05pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	11:45am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.			7:05	4:50pm
9:45pm	8:45pm	12:10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.			7:00am	4:45pm
11:10pm	10:10pm	1:40pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD, N. C. ..... Lv.			*5:35am	*3:30pm

68	62	64	!Daily except Sun.	xSun. only	60	63	65
x6:45pm	3:25pm	5:50am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.		10:15am	12:50pm	6:50pm
8:34pm	5:22pm	7:42am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ... Lv.		8:28am	10:55am	4:55pm
9:55pm	6:44pm	9:10am	Ar. ..... Nor & Sou. Jct. ..... Lv.		7:05am	9:35am	3:35pm
10:00pm	6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ... Lv.		x7:00am	9:30am	3:30pm

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8:30 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

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r. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
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Friday, August 12th, 1910.

Uncle Joe had decided not to 'cuss" so much, but on account of insurgent successes, it is safe to predict that he will have a relapse.

It is said that the new $50 counterfeit bills can be easily detected. The "average man" needn't worry, as bills of that size find their way only to the pockets of the malefactors of great wealth.

The Republicans who fought Butler and Morehead will eat their dish of crow, and the whole bunch will get together and laugh over the insulting "jokes" which they have been telling about each other.

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When a newspaper mentions the population of its city, it should be stated whether it uses the figures of the booster census or of the Federal census. Thus the public can know how shamefully the Federal enumerators fell down on their jobs.

It is beleved that the Republican programmme for 1912 is John Motley Morthead for Governor, and Marion Butler for the United States Senate. North Carolinians who love their State had better be on their guard. There is no difference between Butlerism and Republicanism.

The Baltimore American inquires: "With the millionaires of the country marrying chorus girls, and the heiresses marrying foreign noblemen, what are the native ordinary young man and woman to do?" We can go right on enjoying ourselves by reading about those other folks' divorce troubles.

Senator Aldrich refuses to reconsider his determination not to be again a candidate for the United States from Rhode Island. When a man gets all he wants, he feels like retiring and giving somebody else a chance. Some men would be hogs enough to stand by the feed-trough till they died at the post.

New York capitalists are anxious to dump $100,000,000 into Turkey to finance railroad building in Asia Minor, and other millions in China. Millions of American capital have been invested in the development of Mexico and Central and South American countries. Why not invest it in the South, which makes progress slowly for lack of capital?

President Taft, Congressman Morehead and ex-Populist United States Senator Butler held their noses and pronounced North Carolina Republicanism indecent. North Carolina Republicans met in State convention at Raleigh on Wednesday and concurred in the opinions expressed about them. They decided to take the Butler-Morehead cure, which promises, if it does not guarantee respectability.

The ladies of Monroe asked for and were granted permission by Judge Allen to attend the Parks murder trial last week. It is to be hoped that Southern women will not get the habit. Heretofore that has been the prerogative of a certain class of the colored "sister'n." It is a pity that even they could not be kept away, for it is a source of entertainment that certainly is neither elevating nor refining. Pity!

BUTLER WINS THE VICTORY.

Just as the Star predicted when the Hon. Marion Butler began his campaign to make Congressman John M. Morehead State Republican Chairman, the Ex-Populist United States Senator won the victory in the Republican State Convention at Greensboro on Wednesday. Duncan, finding that he was beaten to a frazzle by the wily Sampsonian politician, retired without a shot. He did not wait for the steam roller but at the first toot he promised to be good and took the woods.

The names of Congressman John Motley Morehead, of Greensboro, E. C. Duncan, of Beaufort, and Major J. E. Alexander, of Winston, were placed before the convention for State Chairman, but before Butler and Morchead could man the steamroller the names of Duncan and Alexander were quickly withdrawn and the harmony bugle was sounded. Duncan saw that the Butler Morehead combination had him snowed under and he did not wait long enough to test his strength in the convention with that of Morehead. However, the election of the Hon. Thomas Settle of Asheville, as Chairman over the Hon. H. G. Ewart, of Henderson, probably showed that Morehead had in the convention nearly twice as many supporters as Duncan. For instance, Settle, a Morehead man, was made convention chairman by 733 votes to 678 for Ewart, a Duncan man. That probably was a fair test vote and Butler won his victory by more votes than he claimed would be the result prior to the assemblage of the convention. It showed that Butler knew what he was talking about, and we believed he was going to do what he said, for the Ex-Populist politician is an individual who knows the game.

The action of the Republican convention at Greensboro simply means that the waring factions of the Republican party have come together. It means that the Democrats of North Carolina need not count upon any serious dissention in the Republican ranks, and that, with Butler scheduling Morehead's campaign, the Democrats of North Carolina had better make haste to unite to meet organized opposition that has dangerous elements in it. State Chairman Morehead is a member of the National Congressional campaign committee and if the truth were known his election as State chairman is part of the National Committee's plan to capture North Carolina for the Republican party. Foreseeing inevitable losses of Republican Congressmen in some of the Western States, doubtless the National committee has made up its mind that it is easier to seduce the South with the hope of winning Congressmen in Southern States where the Republicans have the slightest chance. Of course, their principle aim is to secure continued control of Congress by the Republican party, but in doing so they hope to win the State as well, along with the majority in the Legislatures of as many States as they can carry.

The Republicans made such a big gain in North Carolina in 1908 that they have taken North Carolina for an easy mark. In the 1908 election the Republicans polled 114,884 votes, and with Taft as the Presidential nominee the increase in Republican votes over the strength of the party in 1906 was 37,867 votes. In the Presidential year of 1904 the Republicans polled 82,442 votes and in the next Presidential year, 1908, they polled 114,884 votes, making the increase between Presidential elections 33,442 votes. In the off year election of 1906 the Republicans polled 77,017 votes, which was a falling off of 5,425 votes compared with the previous election of 1904.

We mention this to emphasize the fact that in Presidential years the Republican party votes its full strength in North Carolina, and with the negro vote practically eliminated, that party has made a gain which should put the Democratic party on its mettle. We haven't the slightest doubt that the National Congressional Committee has backed Morehead and Butler in their fight to capture the State organization and that it will furnish campaign funds for heir work in this campaign. With an organization such as Butler and Morehead are capable of setting on foot with the assistance of the National party organization, with money to back up their plans and schemes, North Carolina Democrats must make up their minds that they must give the new combination the solidest front they are capable of. Any Republican gain or success next November will mean a big fight for the State in the Presidential campaign of 1912. Republicanism is a growing menace to the best interests of North Carolina and we may as well recognize it. We may as well face the danger and avert it by healing all breaches and organizing for the protection and preservation of North Carolina civilization according to the Southern standard.

The Socialists' organization in the United States now claims that its membership has doubled in three years, having increased from 26,784 in 1907 to 53,375 in 1910.

It is now said that the Oyster Bay Colonel will "become more active in politics." Probably this means that he will give the fence a rest. He now sees which way the cat will jump.

BAILEY'S GRIP.

In Texas from time to time there has been strong and bitter opposition to United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey as a political leader of the Democracy in the Lone Star State, but the result of the State Democratic convention at Galveston on Wednesday shows that the able Texan is too strong for his enemies. Bailey was not only upheld in his course in the United States Senate, but was endorsed for Presidential nomination in 1912.

Senator Bailey in all probability is the ablest man in the United States Senate. He is a lawyer of very great ability, and is a constitutional authority hardly without an equal in this country. He is a man of learning, is bold, vigorous and affluent of speech, and is one of the most powerful debaters in the Senate. Probably but for his temper, he would rank as one of the profoundest exponents of Democracy and popular government among all the big men of this country. From the viewpoint and standard set by the radical element of the Democratic party, Senator Bailey is not altogether invulnerable, in a political sense, but he has withstood his enemies in the Democratic party in his own State, and we would prefer to believe that the complete endorsement of this able man is a vindication of his integrity, as well as his leadership. If we were to judge him by the indictments of his enemies, confidence in him might be suspended, but his endorsement and vindication by the people of Texas must be admitted to be reassuring. It shows the faith of his own people in him, and it is inconceivable that he would be so supremely dominant in Texas if his record could be successfully assailed. We always have been a great admirer of Bailey's ability, and we would hate to see so strong a man weak in either his personal or political character.

The Texas State Convention completely voiced the Bailey political view and it is an indication of his powerful influence in Texas. The platform adopted reaffirmed the tariff principles of the Democratic National platform of 1896 and says: "We expressly condemn the proposition to remove all duties from the manufacturers' raw material as long as such duties remain on the manufacturers' finished products."

That should be the correct Southern view of the tariff, notwithstanding the fact that radical anti-tariff people, and especially the controlling Republican protectionists, stand for free raw material. A selfish motive prompts manufacturers to demand raw material free of duty, while their manufactured products are highly protected by stiff tariff duties. That enables them all the more to utilize the tariff for their selfish enrichment at the eexpnse of the producers of raw material. With manufactured products highly protected and their raw material free, the producers of raw material would be at the mercy of the manufacturers, who could not only fix the price of their manufactured products, but dictate the price they would pay for the material they consume in their manufactures. That is a proposition too palpable to admit of argument.

During the last Session of Congress Senator Bailey delivered some powerful speeches, in which he showed conclusively that if any tariff is to be levied, it should not be at the expense of raw material. He showed conclusively that in levying a tariff for either revenue or for protection, raw material should have its equal share of the tariff benefits. His position in opposing discrimination against raw material for the benefit of manufacturers is irrefutable. It was not only a sound proposition on the part of the able Texas Senator, but it was eminently just and fair. It is not a theory, but it is a principle which maintains the justice that the tariff burdens, as well as its benefits, should be equitably distributed, not only as to material but as to the North, the South, the East and the West sections of this country. In other words, if there is to be a tariff, there should be no discrimination as to sections, manufactured products or raw material.

We think that ought to be plain to every Democrat and every Republican in the country, but the selfishness and greed of New England manufacturers, and other sections, for that matter, form a base motive for their advocacy of free raw material. They are willing to take all the protection for themselves and deny a just share to the producers of raw materials. The long established fiscal policy of the United States Government has been and will be to levy a tariff to raise the revenue needed for the conduct of government affairs. The Democratic party and the Republican party are fully agreed as to that, but they differ when it comes to levying a tariff for both revenue and protection. The Republican party not only favors, but by its control of Congress, levies a tariff which in some respects raises revenue and provides protection which discriminates in favor of a certain class of manufacturers and sections. Not only that, but the governing Republican party in many instances levies a tariff so exhorbitant in many schedules as to be actually prohibitive of imports, so that in such cases the government gets no revenue at all, but manufacturers get all the benefits and are enabled to monopolize industries and fix prices at their own sweet will. The Republican party levies a tariff for the benefit of special interests, and fastens upon this country a protective tariff which pours millions of dollars into the laps of millionaire manufacturers, who do not need it to foster their business. It is not protection for struggling or "infant industries," but a bounty taken from the people by the Republican party for the benefit of men who in turn contribute mints of money in order to keep the high tariff party in power so protected interests can enrich themselves at the expense of the consuming masses of this country. The Republican party and its tariff, therefore, puts the people at the mercy of its tariff beneficiaries, and the voter who casts his ballot for a continuance of any such policy subserviently votes against his self interests for those of a prediatory class of tariff beneficiaries whose ill-gotten riches enable them to roll in wealth at the expense of the average man.

To all of this the Democratic party is unalterably opposed. The radical wing of the Democratic party favors a tariff for revenue only, "while many Democrats favor such protection as is actually needed by any industry till it is able to stand without being wet-nursed by the government. We do not think there is a party in the United States which would levy a tariff which would do serious injury to home industries, and if the Democratic party were in power today it would levy a tariff that primarily would give relief to tariff burdened consumers and not destroy a single legitimate industry in the United States. The Democratic party would enact a patriotic tariff which would take care of the people and every interest in the country. It certainly would see to it that an end is put to the Republican system which enriches the few and places the masses of people at the mercy of plutocratic tariff beneficiaries.

Morehead and Butler are now the men behind the sons-of-guns. We told you so.

Is the day of the Raleigh News and Observer's "stamp lickers" and "revenue doodlers" over?

The progress, the prosperity and the happiness of North Carolina must not be halted by Butlerism.

A New York woman had $2,000 stolen from her while she was in the throes of a fit. Such a loss is liable to make her go into fits every time she thinks about it.

It seems that Judge Spencer B. Adams was eliminated from the contest by a Federal apointment. This is where a pone of bread knocks out opposition.

An Asheville man threw his wife over a 12-foot embankment. We bet, if it wasn't too steep, his wife "came back." Probably he ran and wouldn't wait and take chances.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The farmers in the vicinity of Pembroke, Robeson county, are evidently impressed with the fact that the only way to diversify their crops is to diversify, and in furtherance of this idea a healthy movement has started to encourage the growing of wheat. Supported by the endorsement of the Farmers' Union, the Raft Swamp Milling Company has established an up-to-date flour mill at the point mentioned and the report of a recent stockholders' meeting, communicated to the Lumberton Robesonian, shows that the men behind the enterprise realize keenly the opportunities offered by the profitable raising of wheat. At this meeting Mr. C. Mingus, an expert farmer from the Northwest, made a plain straightforward talk, illustrating the advantages possessed by Robeson farmers over the wheat-growing population of the section from which the speaker comes. Mr. Mingus pointed out that his hearers could profitably produce flour even if their yield of wheat per acre should be but half of that in Mennesota and the Dakotas, on account of the lower cost of labor and land, the elimination of long freight hauls and the middlemen, and the problem of the after-crop of pease. It is inevitable that the establishmen of this mill at Pembroke will encourage the farmers to try wheat at any rate, and its success will be the best of good omens. The attitude of the Farmers' Union in the matter is notable. "The development of farming interests like the navigation of the air," comments the Robesonian's correspondent, "has been slow but steady. The old Grange taught the farmers that they were bearing unnecessary burdens, the Alliance taught them how to think of and discuss their problems intelligently and the Union is teaching them how to act in concert for the good of all."—Charlotte Observer.

The News regrets to hear of the "political mass meeting" held last Saturday by a number of colored people in this city. Past history should teach one lesson at least, viz.: that the negro may never hope to attain political equality in this or any other Southern State. For five or six years past the races have lived together in more friendly relations than ever before in history. The ballot was the curse of the negro from the outset. It worked him only evil. It was responsible for the generation of a motley set of politicians who aspired to attain prominence by reason of their skill in manipulating the negro vote. It gave rise to frauds in the elections, to bribery, to race strife, and to the wholesale prostitution of the suffrage. The Republican party itself, which always commanded the majority of the colored vote, suffered as from a blight, and the Democratic party was too often led to resort to methods it deplored to offset this vote and save the State. Since the passage of the constitutional amendment in this State the negro has led a peaceable life. He has progressed educationally, industrially and morally as never before. There have been fewer race clashes, less race feeling and infinitely less corruption in elections. Nor have his interests suffered because of a loss of the suffrage. On the other hand, every agency has been turned to the stimulation of his development, and his advancement. The average negro never cared for the ballot in the outset. He never regretted the loss of it. The trouble arising was usually incited by false leaders desirous of promoting personal interests rather than those of the colored man himself. It is said that there are 100,000 eligible negro voters in North Carolina. It is further stated that the mass meeting held here Saturday is but the beginning of a movement whose purpose is to elevate the negro to a plane of political activity not heretofore reached.—Charlotte News.

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SIXTH DISTRICT CLANS HERE

Committee of Distinguished Men Here For Hearings in Congressional Affair—Sessions Will be Executive.

Prominent Democrats, party leaders, the rival nominees and a large number of their friends from all over the Sixth Congressional District are at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, for the purpose of submitting their respective claims with reference to the recent unfortunate situation which has developed in the district, to the committee of five distinguished Democrats appointed by the State Executive Committee to use their best offices toward a settlement of the controversy which threatens party success at the November election.

Members of the committee with the execpetion of Hon. R. A. Doughton of Allegheney who will reach the city this morning, arrived last night and held a preliminary conference in the assembly hall of the hotel from 9 to 10 o'clock. Members of the committee present are ex-Governor T. J. Jarvis, of Greenville, the "Grand Old Man" of North Carolina Democracy, who is chairman of the committee; ex-Governor Chas. B. Aycock, of Raleigh; ex-Judge A. C. Avery, of Morganton, and ex-Congressman Theo. F. Kluttz, of Salisbury. Governor Jarvis stated after the conference last night that the hearings would begin in the assembly hall of the hotel this morning at 10:30 o'clock and that the sessions would be executive in their nature, this being decided upon as expedient in the efforts of the committee toward harmony. The ex-Governor stated that neither side had been consulted as to their purpose to abide by the decision reached by the committee, which will report its findings to the full State committee to be convened later and he explained the purpose of the reference of the whole matter along the lines suggested in his letter recently sent out to parties at interest in the contest. Other members of the committee declined to discuss the situation, referring all inquiries to Governor Jarvis, the chairman, whom his friends were delighted to find as genial, as kindly and as active as in days of yore. From a conversation with Governor Jarvis, it is plain to be seen that members of the committee have approached the difficult task assigned to them in a broad, statesmanlike manner and whatever the verdict, the true Democrats of the district will abide by it. It is plain that members of the committee have come with no pre-conceived ideas of the situation and that they are open to all possible information that will assist them in their efforts toward harmony. That seems to be the watchword. It was the motive which inspired the committee's decision to have the sessions executive in their nature. When asked why the hearings would not be public, Governor Jarvis parried the interrogation with the inquiry: "Why, you don't want anymore conventions down here, do you?" and he was assured most certainly not; at least of the kind that surged and re-surged during the closing days of July. Going on further Governor Jarvis stated that witnesses from all sides would be heard privately and the committee would in every legitimate way get in possession of all possible information and would then at some later date formulate its report to the full committee, which will announce the findings and its decision later.

Both the contestants for the nomination are at the hotel. Hon. O. L. Clark, of Clarkton, is accompanied by Mrs. Clark and they are guests at the Seashore Hotel. Hon. H. L. Godwin is accompanied by his campaign manager, J. C. Clifford, Esq., and E. F. Young, Esq., of Harnett, while also prominent in his counsels are ex-Sheriff Geo. B. McLeod, of Lumberton; State Senator Geo. H. Bellamy, from the county of Brunswick, while others prominent in the fray are Major Terry A Lyon, secretary of the convention, Louis B. Hale, Esq., E. G. Davis, Esq., John Underwood and others of Cumberland; J. R. Williamson, Esq., and Homer L. Lyon, Esq., of Columbus, and others, New Hanover being well represented in the number of those who had a part on one side or the other of the controversy.

Under the terms of its commission from the State Committee the distinguished gentlemen now at the beach have to determine, first whether the State Committee has jurisdiction; second, whether either Mr. O. L. Clark or Mr. H. L. Godwin was duly and lawfully nominated; third if neither is found to be nominated, what further action shall be taken in order to secure the nomination of a candidate. The committee is asked to take into consideration the conflicting claims in reference to the nomination and report to the full committee at the call of the chairman.

The State press has been unanimous in its expression of approval of the personnel of the committee and at its first conference last night and the lines which the inquiry promises to follow more than abundantly justifies all and more than has been said of them as a safe and impartial tribunal.

TARGET PRACTICE AT FORT.

State Artillery Reserves Having a Crack With the Big Guns.

Members of the Coast Artillery Reserves of the North Carolina National Guard, encamped this week with the regulars at Fort Caswell, on yesterday had target practice at both stationary and movable targets at sea with the smaller artillery at the post, and reports from the fort are that some very good scores were recorded. The targets are being towed by the steamer Madeleine, Capt. Fred Harper, and the Gen. G. W. Getty, of the Quartermaster's Department at Caswell, is making the runs for the Madeleine while she is on this duty. Reports from the post are that the reserves are having splendid success with the maneuvers at the fort, and that they are showing up well.

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It will be of interest to all Mrs. Johnson's patrons to know that she has been pensioned after so many years of faithful service. The following letter written to a friend in Wilmington is so sweetly sympathetic and so thoroughly appreciative, that it is given in full:

"Der Mrs. .....

"Mr. Wannamaker has placed me on the retired roll of his store which is for life. My pleasure has always been to serve my Southern customers to the best of my ability, and it is through your kind patronage that I am indebted to him for this consideration, and therefore appreciate and thank you for it.

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"I shall always remember you with affection and gratitude.

"Affectionately,

"MRS. G. L. JOHNSON.

THE GOVERNMENT BOATS.

Tug Cynthia Goes North to be Rebuilt —Dredge Gen. Comstock.

The tug Cynthia, one of those used by the government for towing barges in the harbor, left this week for Baltimore where a new hull will be built for the boat and other extensive repairs made. The Cynthia will be gone several months and leaves the tugs Coquet and Caswell to carry on the work.

The suction dredge Gen. Comstock came up to the city yesterday from the outer bar, where it has been engaged in dredging since she arrived here some two months ago from Galveston, Texas. The trip to the city was made necessary on account of a slight acident, a flange having been broken on her pipe line. She will return to the bar probably this afternoon.

The dredge Jacksonville, which has been working with the other government dredges deepening the mooring basin in the harbor, is also out of commission on account of a slight accident. All of the dredges for a month or more have been working in the harbor.

TRINITY EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Officers Were Chosen at the Last Business Meeting.

At a recent business meeting of the Epworth League of Trinity M. E. Church, officers were elected for the year beginning September 1st. The new officers will be installed at the regular Sunday night services of the church on August 28th. Much interest is being taken in the work of the league, and there is a gradual increase in membership.

The officers are as follows: Mr. R. A. Beymer, president; Mr. B. Cox, vice president; Mrs. M. J. Fowler, second vice president; Miss Forbie Herring, third vice president; Miss Sallie Futrell, fourth vice president; Miss Lida Beery, secretary; Mr. George Hall, treasurer; Miss Catherine Risley, Epworth Era agent; Mrs. Sybil Hewlett, Junior League superintendent; Miss Eugenia King, pianist.

IMPORTANT REAL ESTATE DEAL

City Laundry Company Purchases Property on Second Street.

The City Laundry Company has purchased from Mr. S. A. Schloss the valuable property on Second, near Princess street, directly opposite the Crystal Palace, the consideration being $1,000. The property has a frontage of 66 feet on Second and is 165 feet deep. It was purchased by Mr. Schloss about six years ago for about $3,400, the appreciation in valuation in this short period being about 300 per cent. Papers, in the form of an option, were filed for record yesterday. The papers set forth that $300 has been paid down and as soon as the deed can be drawn the remainder of the $10,000 is to be paid. The sale was made through the real estate firm of Messrs. J. G. Wright & Son.

It is understood that the property is purchased by the laundry for a building for its plant. The company now occupies a building on Third street, across from the City Hall.

Youth Suffers Broken Arm.

Many friends learned with much regret yesterday morning that Harold Norwood, the 9-year-old son of Mr. Charles F. Norwood, the popular deputy Register of Deeds, had his left arm broken near the elbow Wednesday afternoon, while exercising in the gymnasium of the Boys' Brigade Armory, a short distance from his home. The youth was swinging through the air on a pair of rings when he lost his hold and fell to the floor. He was taken immediately to his home, No. 511 South Second street, where he was attended by Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, who set the broken limb. The little fellow spent a very restless night, but was resting more comfortably yesterday afternoon.

GUN CLUB WEEKLY SHOOT.

Walter Huff, Dupont Representative, Will Be Guest Today.

The regular weekly shoot of the Wilmington Gun Club will be held this afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock, and members are urged to be present. Mr. Walter Huff will be the guest of the club as a representative of the Dupont Powder Works, and will give an exhibition of marksmanship. Members and visitors are asked to note that all cars stop at the grounds and that they may go and come at their convenience.

CORONER'S JURY ON HOLLY INQUIRY

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Mr. W. A. Scott, deputy insurance commissioner, arrived yesteday morning and was in attendance upon the session of the jury yesterday. He is not concerned about how Cromwell came to his death, except so far as it relates to the burning of the hotel by an incendiary. He will make a thorough investigation of this phase of the case.

There was a mild sensation just before the convening of the coroner's jury yesterday morning when it was observed that Mr. H. E. Robbins, agent for the Greensboro Life Insurance Company, which held the policy on the life of the youth, who was summoned to appear at 9:30 o'clock, was not present. Officers were sent out to search for him, and at 11 o'clock report was received that no trace of him had been found. Shortly thereafter Mr. Robbins entered the court room. He explained to Coroner Bell that, being tired and worn out when he retired Wednesday night, he overslept himself, hence his failure to be present at the appointed hour. The explanation was entirely satisfactory.

It was announced yesterday that the law firm of Ricaud & Empie had been retained as counsel for Holly, and should the coroner's jury or a magistrate hold him for Superior Court, a vigorous effort will be made in the higher tribunal in behalf of the defendant. Mr. Ricaud visited the burned building yesterday and made a personal investigation.

Chief Schnibben Testifies.

The coroner's jury of inquest met at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning, but there was a delay of 20 minutes and it was 9:50 when the first witness, Chief Chas. Schnibben, of the fire department, was placed on the stand. Chief Schnibben testified in substance as follows, after telling of the alarm of fire and the condition of the building when he arrived:

"I met Captain Monroe in the hallway and he said that Holly told him that his boy had not been seen. He opened door to room No. 4, but could not see anything for the smoke and steam that was issuing forth. I went to the window of the room and opened it. The window was fastened and I had to break the glass. Returning to the door we found the body of the boy on the floor in front of the door, about six feet from the bed; his head lying in the opposite direction from the way it would have lain on the bed according to the pillow. I cannot say whether or not the bed had been occupied, but it did not have the appearance of having been disturbed.

"There was no fire in the room, but the ceiling near where the head of the body lay was burned. The force of the water probably caused the plastering to be knocked through. The indications were that the fire started in the room adjoining the one in which the body was found.

"Wednesday morning I made an examination of the premises. I picked up a sheet, or blanket, which looked like a window curtain, lying on the floor where the body was found; it was evidently under the body. The smell of kerosene was strong and unmistakable, not only on the sheet but the entire room was pungent with the odor. I did not notice any burns. The body was perfectly stiff and rigid, from all appearances, though I did not touch it. Firemen Farrow Frost and Captain Monroe took the body from the room.

"I took the mattress and turned it over and it looked greasy, having the appearance of being saturated with oil. I split off a piece and struck a match to it and the way it ignited convinced me that the mattress had been saturated wih oil. An old counterpane, somewhat burned around the edges, and which covered a big portion of his head, was observed when the body was found. Parts of it had been saturated with kerosene oil. From the appearances of the room the indications are that the fire which fell through from the other room burned the man and the clothing. The body was lying parallel with the door. His hands were on his breast and he looked as if one asleep. The underclothes on one arm appeared to be burned.

"I had a conversation with Holly yesterday and he said that he went within two feet of the door to the room of the young man and hollered fire. I asked him why he did not open the door as he had said that the young man was a sound sleeper, and he replied that he could not get to him on account of the fire. I showed him that fire would not have prevented him from entering the room had he wanted to go in.

"In the room where the fire started I found and empty oil can. In the boy's room of the young man and halloaed near the window. The fire started in a room used as a pantry. The dining room was burned, but not to any considerable extent.

"I found in the room a handkerchief two corners of which had been tied together like a noose. This could have been used as a cap to tie over the young man's mouth. I also found a one-and-half gallon gasoline can in a little closet where steps go to the third floor, opposite the room in which the fire started. There was about a pint of gasoline in the can, which looked as if it was a new one. I searched the house for a gasoline stove, but could not find one. To show you that the heat was not so intense at this point the glass in the window to the boy's room had not been broken.

"If the fire killed the lad he had not been dead more than 10 minutes when his body was found. Not more than 30 minutes elapsed between the time of the alarm and the discovery of the body. (As a matter of fact it was about 20 minutes, as the body was found a few minutes before 3 o'clock). The boy's features were perfectly natural and there was no evidence that he had a struggle in an effort to get out of the room."

Mr. T. B. Jackson, fireman of Company No. 1, did not go inside the building on the night of the fire, but he made an investigation Wednesday, accompanied by Fireman Burriss and Jailer Branch. He testified that upon arriving he found Fireman Graham G. Smith in charge of the building.

Can With Peculiar Odor.

"There seemed to be plenty of oil in the room," said the witness, "I found a small can on top of the bed and opened it. The peculiar odor almost knocked me down and I lost no time in throwing the can down. There was a small quantity of liquid in it, the color of light syrup. The odor was particularly offensive. Chief Schnibben also saw the can, but did not examine it. I left the can on the bed.

"I then lifted up the mattress and found two old handkerchiefs and a strip of cloth. This was at the northern end of the bed shoved down between the springs and the mattress at the head of the bed. The handkerchiefs appeared to have blood on them, besides they were soaked in kerosene. Mr. Burriss brought the handkerchiefs up here. The pillow on the bed also had an offensive odor like that of the can. I smelled kerosene upon entering the room."

The handkerchiefs referred to by Fireman Jackson in his testimony were exhibited in the court room and it was evident that they had been saturated with kerosene oil and there were several blood stains on them. However, no importance was attached to the blood stains as it is not believed that the young man lost any blood just prior to his death. In fact, nothing has so far developed to show that he was bruised to that extent. Very likely the handkerchiefs were used when his nose was bleeding at some time prior to his death.

The piece of cloth—Sheet or blanket—referred to by Chief Schnibben was also exhibited. That the cloth had been soaked in kerosene oil was easily detected yesterday.

Mr. J. B. Farrow, of the hook and ladder company, was the next witness. He told of having heard Captain Monroe say that the body of the lad had been found and immediately thereafter he went with Captain Monroe and Fireman Frost to the room and removed the body. The witness had hold of the head, Frost the shoulders and Captain Monroe the feet. The witness testified that the body was cold and stiff. The body was carried to the front hall and laid on a pallet. The witness could smell kerosene, but the odor was worse the next day. The mattress had been saturated with kerosene.

The testimony of the Fireman L. R. Frost, of Company No. 3, was practically the same as that given by Fireman Farrow.

The hour having arrived for the Recorder's court adjournment was taken to the grand jury room. County Attorney Marsden Bellamy had some matters in court and the investigation was delayed for a few minutes on that account.

Insurance Agent Testifies.

The next witness was Mr. H. E. Robbins, local agent for the Greensboro Life Insurance Company, which held the policy on the young man's life. He testified in substance as follows:

"About six weeks ago Mr. Register, of the Virignia Life Insurance Company, came to me and said that a young man had been turned down in his company and wanted to know if I thought my company would issue the insurance. He said that the reason his company had rejected the applicant was on the ground of incomplete family history. Since then, Mr. Register stated, additional information had been secured and he thought maybe the insurance could be obtained in another company. Of course, he wanted a commission for working up the business and I told him I would give him the major portion of it. Mr. Spencer, from the home office, came down and I put the facts before him. He advised the writing of the application. Holly seemed to be very anxious to get the insurance on the boy. I was taken to Holly through Register. The more complete family history of the lad was secured through Holly. It was stated that his mother is dead and that his father is still living and in good health. I did not say much to Holly about the insurance as the business had already been procured.

"The application of Holly was held up about four weeks in the home office.

"The amount of the insurance applied for was $5,000. Holly saw me frequenily during the four weeks and was solicitous about the insurance policy. Holly finally said that he had found that he could get the insurance in a standard company and if the Greensboro Life didn't act right away he would secure the insurance from another company. I wrote the company, setting forth the statement of Holly and in a few days the policy came for half the amount applied for, $2,500. Holly made application for the insurance, but Cromwell signed the application and seemed to be willing. The policy was issued July 22nd and delivered on the 28th of July and paid for by Holly, the amount of the premium being $58.28. The policy was made originally to the estate of Cromwell. I told Mr. Spencer that the fact that Holly wanted so much insurance on a boy not related to him looked suspicious to me, to which Mr. Spencer replied that Holly was a Quaker and that he desired to be good to the boy.

"Before the policy was issued Holly stated that he wanted it assigned to him. This could not be done until the policy was received by Cromwell. It was the understanding that the assignment was to be made upon the receipt of the policy. I wrote the company that Holly had assumed the guardianship of the boy; that he wanted to educate the lad and desired protection in case he died hence a transfer of the policy was wanted. The company sent the blanks for a transfer and the assignment was made on Monday in Mr. J. H. Scull's office. I sent the papers off Monday night.

"I saw Holly on the night of the fire at his place, the occasion of my visit being to pay the amount of subscription for a magazine to Miss Caudle, the agent. I left there about 10:45 P. M. I was with Mr. Scull at Holly's place until about 10:45 and then I went to the Southern Hotel, where I stayed until 1:30 o'clock. Mr. Scull left Holly's place at the same time. I left the hotel about 1:45 A. M. and started home on Red Cross street, but stopped in the Coast Line Restaurant, on Front, between Chesnut and Grace streets, to get something to eat. While in the restaurant I heard screams of fire and went to Holly's place, which was on fire. The fire department had not arrived, but the alarm had been turned in.

"Holly did not mention the body when I first arrived, but later he asked me to help wake up the boarders. I told him I could not do it as I did not know the arrangement of the house and might be trapped by the fire. I asked Holly where was Cromwell and he replied that he did not know. Holly was not fully dressed and the ladies were in their night clothes.

"I saw the boy go in the hotel about 10 o'clock. I did not see him with Holly during the night. When I called Holly's attention to the boy, after the fire, the others had been got out. Holly replied, 'My God, do you reckon he is in the house?' There was nothing said between Holly and the boy when the latter went in the hotel Tuesday night."

Had Ice Cream.

In reply to questions asked by County Attorney Marsden Bellamy Mr. Robbins said that there was a little ice cream supper at the hotel Tuesday night; that after returning from the Hijou theatre he went out and purchased some ice cream and pepsi-cola. Cromwell was there when he returned with the cream and pepsi-cola, but the lad did not eat any of the ice cream purchased by the witness, but did eat an ice cream cone, which the witness presumed he purchased himself. Asked about a telephone message to Mr. Dick Kennedy early Wednesday morning, some two hours after the fire, the witness said that Mr. Holly requested him to communicate with Mr. Kennedy and tell him that he desired to see him as early as possible. The witness said that he did not know that Holly was arranging to move to Wayne county. He thought that Holly was a native of Greensboro.

On the night of the fire Holly suggested to witness that it was about time to retire. Mr. Robbins did not hear Mr. Scull say anything Tuesday night to Holly about fixing a will, the only time will was mentioned in his presence was on Monday in the office of Mr. Scull. The witness said that he was present when Mr. Scull arrived at the Rock Springs Hotel Tuesday night and that he did not say why he had come down.

Asked by Mr. Bellamy if he had not had a conversation with Mr. Butler, at the Southern Hotel, about the fire, the witness said that he had. He did not remember telling Mr. Butler that he did not expect it to happen quite so soon, but did remember saying that the whole thing looked rather peculiar to him. The witness made this remark, he said, because Holly was so anxious about the insurance. On the morning of the fire Holly asked the witness to see that his claim was properly reported to the home office. Mr. Robbins said that he was waiting around the scene of the fire to see Mr. Bell in order to get some information to advise the home office.

Referring again to the insurance policy, the witness said that Holly, in the presence of Mr. Register and himself, asked the boy if he was willing to sign away his right in the insurance policy. This was before the policy was received. The boy replied in the affirmative. Then Holly, said the witness, asked if the boy was to die before the assignment was made would the verbal statement made be sufficient. To this the witness replied that when the assignment was formally made it would be good. The witness told Mr. Butler, at the Southern Hotel, about Mr. Matthews having asked Holly the cause of the peculiar noise heard about 11 o'clock Tuesday night and the reply of Holly that he had one of his usual fits. The witness had never heard of Holly having a fit of the kind before. "I told Mr. Butler," said the witness, "that the whole thing looked shady to me."

Asked if he had reported to the home office the fact that the lad had been refused insurance by the Virginia Life Insurance Company, the witness said that he had not written any letter to this effect because Mr. Spencer, the re-instating agent, was in full possession of the facts, and that he was informed that Mr. Hopkins, of the Virginia Life, had written the Greensboro Life Insurance Company, setting forth the facts. The witness stated, however, that there was a blank space on every policy to be filled in stating whether or not the applicant had been refused insurance by any other company and that he filled this particular application blank out properly. The witness did not know why the policy was turned down by the Virginia Life Insurance Company.

A. C. Kranke Testifies.

The next witness called was A. C. Kranke, who was among the first to arrive at the scene of the fire. He was at the Southern Hotel when he heard the alarm. He corroborated other witnesses relative to the fire and discovery of the body and then testified in substance: "After the fire I returned to the hotel. Mr. Robbins came to the hotel with two ladies, who were guests at the burned hotel, and asked for accommodations for them. Robbins sat down in a chair and said something about the fire. Butler, the night clerk, said that he did not expect it so soon. Robbins did not make any reply, but merely laughed. Robbins returned to the hotel between 4 and 5 o'clock looking for Dick Kennedy. A policeman passed and Mr. Robbins asked the officer if he went by the house of Kennedy. The officer replied that he did and Mr. Robbins then asked him to tell Mr. Kennedy that Mr. Holly desired to see him right away. Robbins left the hotel. Later I returned to the scene of the fire. I did not see Holly this time, but did see him with Mr. Robbins when I first arrived at the fire. About 5 o'clock in the morning I heard Robbins say something about insurance for $2,500. This was at the Southern Hotel. Robbins said that he had just got the policy a few days ago. Some one in the lobby said it was tough luck for the insurance company and Robbins replied that the company would catch h——.

"I asked Butler today what was meant by the remark, 'I was not expecting it so soon,' feigning that I knew many facts that would be of value in the evidence. Butler replied that Robbins knew, that he had been carrying the policy for two weeks, but did not know whether to give it up or not.

"When Robbins was at the Southern Hotel early in the night he left about 2:15 o'clock. He called Butler outside and had a private conversation with him."

The next witness was Mr. W. J. Butler, night clerk at the Southern Hotel. He testified that he had seen Holly off and on for several years, but never knew him to speak to him, but that he had known Robbins well for some time. Robbins, he said, came to the Southern Hotel Tuesday night about 11 o'clock to see his friend, Mr. Pridgen. They were in conversation for some time and about 2 o'clock Mr. Robbins went with Mr. Pridgen to his room in the hotel. Mr. Robbins came down stairs about 2 :15 o'clock and shortly thereafter left the hotel. In a few minutes the fire bell rang. Mr. Robbins returned later with two ladies who desired accommodations for the night.

"Some weeks ago," the witness said, "Robbins told me that he had written an application for insurance on Edward Cromwell for Holly and he commented on the fact that the premium on a $5,000 policy would be rather high for a person of Holly's apparent circumstances. Robbins told me when he had received the policy and said that he was waiting for a few days to see Mr. Register.

"I did say to Mr. Robbins that I did not expect the boy's death so soon or something to that effect, but it was merely a casual remark, knowing that Mr. Robbins was rather suspicious of the policy. I do not think that Mr. Robbins favored the issuance of the policy very much. I did not hear Robbins say that he expected the very thing that did happen. Early Tuesday morning Mr. Robbins called me out of the hotel to talk over some private matter, as I remember.

"It is a usual thing for Mr. Robbins and myself to talk over matters relative to insurance, as I was formerly an insurance agent. The reason I think that Robbins was not favorable to the issuance of the policy is that the amount was so large and the boy so young. I thing I heard Robbins say something of this kind."

In reply to a question the witness said that it is not an unusual occurrence to sell insurance that is to be transferred.

Mr. R. S. Register, one of the local agents for the Virginia Life Insurance Company, was the next called to the stand, testifying in substance as follows:

"Mr. Boylan, a new man with the agency, received from Mr. Holly a request for a life insurance policy on Edward Cromwell, and Mr. Baylan asked me to look into the matter, which I did. I talked the matter over with Holly and advised that he take out a small policy, but he insisted upon a large one. After talking with Holly I found that the boy was 'illegal,' not knowing the age of his father or mother and probably not in position to get the information. Holly said that he liked the boy and intended to give him an education. I decided that it was all right to take the application and sent the facts to the superintendent and medical examiner. The application was rejected at the home office. Holly seemed to be greatly disappointed. Later Holly seemed to know more about the family history of the youth —the age of his father and mother. I told Holly that if he had had that information at first the application would probably have gone through all right. Holly mentioned the fact that he had the boy with the consent of his father. After I got the additional facts I decided to put the matter before some other company." The witness then told of the conversation with Mr. Robbins relative to the insurance and his statement of what occurred up to the time the policy was received was practically the same as previously given by Mr. Robbins. He stated in conclusion that policies were frequently assigned to other persons and mentioned the fact that not long since a man secured a $10,000 life insurance on a young man whom he had undertaken to educate.

The next witness was Mr. Dick Kennedy, the man whom Holly wanted to get in communication with shortly after the fire. The witness said that he had known Holly for 16 or 17 years and that he had seen him since the fire. He saw him about 11 o'clock Wednesday and Holly said that he was very sorry that he was burned out and very sorry that the boy had lost his life. Holly mentioned the life insurance of $2,500 but did not say anything about collection of the amount. He also spoke of the insurance on his household goods. "I was down there," said the witness, "getting some information about the property for a man away from here who desired to purchase. Holly said that he intended to move to Pikeville to live and had sold his property. I knew the boy. Holly had him about five months. I do not know anything whatever about his people. I do not know of my own knowledge whether his father lives in Wilmington, but I have heard Holly say the boy came here from Charleston, S. C. I did not go down there in pursuance of a message from Holly; I did not get any message from him. I saw in the morning paper an account of the fire and went down there through curiosity."

The last witness at the morning session was Mr. James Owen Reilly, real estate and insurance agent, who had a fire insurance policy on the contents of the building. He testified that a policy for $1,200 was taken out by Holly on the second of June and paid for the 28th of June. Holly stated that he valued the property at $1,700, but would not take $3,000. Mr. W. W. King, he said, had notified his office of the fire, stating that he would like to have payment as soon as possible. It was afterwards said that Mr. King, the undertaker, had been given both the life and fire insurance policies by Holly. Inquiries by the witness developed the fact that three days before the fire Holly had three loads of furniture moved to the depot, preparatory to shipment to Pikeville. When the insurance policy was issued Holly asked witness if he would get his money in case of fire, stating also that he had never had a fire and did not want to have one. Mr. Reilly also testified that the mattress on the bed in the room the boy was found was saturated with oil. He also spoke of the finding of a gasoline can in the building, the same as referred to by Chief Schnibben.

The jury at 1 o'clock retired to make up its verdict, but a half an hour later adjournment was taken until 9 o'clock this morning without any verdict having been announced. The matter, it is understood, was held open until today with the expectation of new developments in the meantime. Other witnesses may be examined today.

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AT THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

Crokinole and Pool Tournaments Have Been Started at Armory.

Illustrating the wide diversity of amusements and sports afforded at the Boys' Brigade, which is just now entering upon its Fall and Winter Work, there was started at the armory last night a very interesting crokinole tournament that bids fair to challenge the skill and ingenuity of all the companies. Last night Johnnie Burriss was defeated by Levi Walton, who was in turn defeated by Cliff Dixon, who now holds the championship and is open to challenges, matches to be announced later.

The Brigade has also started the pool tournaments, and Albert Elmer to date has all oncomers "faded." He is now open to challenge from the Brigade, and next week will probably witness another event in the tourney. The bowling tournament will also be instituted next week.

Mill Property Changes Hands.

By bill of sale filed for record yesterday the valuable mill properties of the Newton-Williamson Lumber Company are transferred to the Newton-McArthur Lumber Company, the consideration being $7,300. Among the effects mentioned in the deed are engines and boilers, edgers, trimmers, 15,000 feet of piping, 40 trucks, a logging jack, saw mill carriages, belts, pulleys, a new planer an iron safe and other fixtures.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart thrills at the cooing and prattling of a baby, and motherhood is her highest and purest joy. Yet the suffering incident to this great consummation of her life's desire, robs the anticipation of some of its sweetness. Most of this can be avoided by the use of Mother's Friend. This great remedy prepares the expectant mother's system for the coming event, and its use makes her comfortable during all the term. Mother's Friend assists nature in gradually expanding all tissues, muscles and tendons, it strengthens the ligaments, keeps the breasts in good condition, and brings the woman to the crisis in healthful physical condition. The regular use of Mother's Friend lessens the pain when baby comes, and assures a quick and natural recovery for the mother. For sale at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Miss Ida Lingle, of Salisbury, is the guest of Mrs. A. B. Sandlin, on Wrightsville Beach.

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Miss Margaret Quinlivan left Tuesday for Asheville and points in the West, to spend a while with friends.

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Mrs. S. H. Burtt has returned home after a pleasant visit of several weeks with friends in Cincinnati, O.

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Miss Pearl Barnes, of Savannah, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Gerken, at her home, No. 803 Ann street.

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Mrs. Preston Cumming and little daughter, Anne Bacot, are visiting at Vivian, W. Va., Mrs. Cumming's daughter, Mrs. R. A. Nelson, for several weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holden and little son, Master Arnold, left last evening for Saratoga Springs and Lake George, New York, where they will spend some time.

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Mrs. J. P. Cameron and daughter, Miss Johnsie Cameron, of Rockingham, N. C., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Blomme, No. 417 Campbell street.

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Miss Ethel Hammond, of Laurinburg, left yesterday for Lumberton, to visit friends, after spending some time as the guests of Miss Katie Yopp and Mrs. M. L. Beach.

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Miss Annie Lacy, of Raleigh, who has been the attractive guest of Miss Katie Yopp, has returned to her home, accompanied by Miss Yopp, who will be her guest for some time.

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Mrs. Helen Gantt Mims, local editor of the Whiteville News-Reporter, was in the city yesterday and spent the day at the beach with the "kids." Mrs. Mims has charge of the news bureau of The Star at Whiteville.

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Messrs. James F. and E. A. Moore and Miss Lillian Colvin, their niece, and Mr. Owen Fennell, of Wilmington, will leave Saturday for Montreat, N. C., Asheville and other places in the Western part of the State, for a two weeks' visit.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Four Negroes, Charged With Larceny, Are Dismissed.

In the Recorder's Court yesterday morning cases against Brook Walker, Emanuel Moseley, Roy Mitchell and Walter Quion, colored, charged with the larceny of $75 worth of meat from The Corbett Company, were called. County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, representing the prosecution, stated that he would take a nol pros and the defendants were discharged. Buck Alderman, colored, was given hearing on the charge of drawing a pistol on Joe Sanders, colored, last Saturday night. He was convicted and sentenced to three months on the county roads. There were no other cases of interest.

HASKELL WAS ENDORSED.

Convention of Oklahoma Democrats. Senator Gore Was a Speaker.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 11.—An endorsement of the administration of Governor C. N. Haskell and the recommendation that the liquor question be eliminated from partisan politics was the chief feature of the platform adopted by the Democratic State Convenion today.

Among the speakers were United States Senator Gore, who, referring to the charges against him since the Congressional committee began investigating the McMurray contracts, said:

"He is a coward who would be driven from the path of duty by fear of calumny.

"I shall never be deterred from the performance of my duty, no matter what the consequences. The issue as regards myself is immaterial. I am but a temporary glow which rises and sinks out of sight and is forgotten, but this matter, so far as it relates to the immutable rights of the people, is of the highest concern. The Congressional investigation will result in incalculable good, equally to the white man and the red man."

The platform endorses the bank guaranty law, holds that the question of prohibition has been removed from partisan politics, supports the policy of the administration to erect a State capital without cost to the taxpayers; declares for a strict enforcement of corporation laws, insists the interior department's rule of Indian affairs has resulted in a "deplorable condition resulting from misgovernment," and demands that the United States government "immediately right its wrongful policy and place the administration of laws in the hands of those unselfish enough faithfully to administer that trust.

AGED CAROLINIAN DIES.

Turner Browning Passes Away at Age of 115 Years.

Durham, N. C., Aug. 11. — Turner Browning, who had lived in perfect health for 115 years, died today on a farm six miles from this city. He had full recollections of the second war between the United States and Great Britain, and childhood recollections of Washington, Adams, Madison and Jefferson. He was born in 1795. His son, in middle age, was killed in the civil war.

Honolulu, Aug. 11.—The British barkentine Helga, bound from New Castle to San Francisco, mistook the new light at Makapu for the Point, went ashort today on Diamond Head, at the entrance to this harbor. The Helga, which left New Castle 118 days ago with a cargo of coal, leaked almost continuously during the voyage. The vessel has been abandoned by the crew and is breaking up.

In reading store ads most people about some particular article—hence are looking for definite information merchants should quote prices always.

LOCAL DOTS.

—At the Bijou today will be shown "Percy, the Cowboy" and "Convict No. 796." They are very attractive pictures and are the kind that usually attract large audiences at each performance.

—The 11-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Jamison died Wednesday night at the home of the parents, No. 1018 South Sixth street, and the interment was in Oak Grove cemetery yesterday.

—On account of the excursion from Hamlet today, there will be no 2:30 P. M. trip of the steamer Wilmington. Patrons of the Carolina Beach line are asked to take note of the cancellation for the one day only.

—In an interesting game of indoor baseball at the Y. M. C. A. last night between the Cubs and the Tigers, of the Junior League, the former won by the score of 4 to 3. Tonight the Sioux and Seminoles, of the Senior League, will contest for honors.

—Rev. Thomas A. Smoot, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, and Mr. J. B. Huntington, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., left yesterday for Fort Caswell, where Mr. Smoot delivered an address to the soldier boys there last night. Mr. Smoot will return today, but Mr. Huntington will remain at the fort for some days with Mr. J. E. Johnson, students' secretary of the Carolinas, who has his tent there.

COOKING DEMONSTRATIONS

Large and Enthusiastic Attendance at Woolvin Building Last Night.

The largest and undoubtedly the most enthusiastic crowd of the week attended the cooking demonstrations in the Woolvin building at last evening's demonstration. On account of the rain in the afternoon, the crowd was small as compared with the evening, but in the face of disagreeable weather, about fifty ladies attended. In the evening every chair was taken and numbers stood up throughout the entire demonstration, so great was the interest. At the demonstration today at 4:30 Mrs. Whitted will prepare and serve the following menu: Spanish Omelet, Tomato Aspic, Mayonnaise. In the evening at 8:30; Planked Trout, Tartare Sauce, Potatoes a la Duchess. The evening demonstration will be of special interest to Wilmingtonians, as it is to all coast cities, in that the planked trout will be prepared as only Mrs. Whitted can. The entire preparation will be in full view of the audience, from "boning" of the trout, to the garnishing. Those attending will find a pencil and memorandum a great convenience, to copy this and the other recipes.

Nearly 200 people attended last evening and deposited their tickets for the elevated gas range to be given away Saturday night. These tickets are procured only at the demonstrations, and all who attend are entitled to a ticket for every demonstration they witness.

Efforts are being made by the Tidewater Power Company to get Mrs. Whitted to stay in Wilmington another week to give private home demonstrations and instruct as to the proper use of gas ranges. To give some idea as to what it means to keep Mrs. Whitted it will be of interest to know that, with over 1,200 gas companies in this country, they only have five or six demonstrators such as Mrs. Whitted. Miss Helen Armstrong, Mrs. Rorer, Mrs. Whitted, and one or two others, are the only professional demonstrators available at this time. The Domestic Science department of the Armour Institute of Technology have a special class for this particular work, and are sending out numbers of graduates, but they are usuany taken by colleges adopting Domestic Science in their schools, and the demand is, and will be for some time, greater than the supply. The rapid strides made by gas and electricity as fuel and illuminants to say nothing of the food questions confronting the people today, will make a certain amount of science in the kitchen, an absolute necessity.

ALDERMEN MEET TODAY.

Will Consider the Matter of New Down Town Fire Station.

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen has been called for today at noon to hear a report from the special committee named at the last regular meeting to investigate the advisability of a downtown fire station instead of erecting a new building at corner of Fourth and Princess streets as at first proposed. The committee composed of Aldermen Stone, Rehder and Ellis, met yesterday at noon and went into the matter quite thoroughly. It was unanimously decided advisable to establish a station in the downtown district and that the stables of Mr. F. T. Mills, on Second between Princess and Chesnut streets, was the proper location. An option on this property was obtained some time ago. It is estimated that the building, which is of brick and comparatively new, can be re-arranged and made to answer all the purposes of a fire station for about $2,500. The Aldermen will pass upon the report of the committee at the meeting today.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

State Association Adjourns in Charlotte to Meet Next in Asheville

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 11.—With the selection of Asheville, N. C., as the next meeting place and the adoption of a resolution asking the Legislature to remedy assessment of property for taxation, the State Association of County Commissioners, held its closing session here this afternoon.

C. E. Foy, of Newbern, was re-elected president and D. McEachern, of Wilmington, was elected vice president. This morning the commissioners were guests of the local committee for an automobile drive over the fine roads of Mecklenburg.

Bluefields, Nica., Aug. 11.—General Estrada accompanied by General Chamorro, left last night for the interior after receiving ammunition and guns from the yacht Hornet, which arrived here Tuesday. General Estrada with a considerable body of troops will form a junction with General Mena at Acoypa.

The Hornet will return to New Orleans for additional cargo next week. She has not yet been purchased by the provisional government, but it is said she will be taken over on her return.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., returned yesterday afternoon from Southport, where he attended Brunswick county Superior Court.

—Among yesterday's guests at the Southern were: C. G. Lewis, Waycross, Ga.; B. M. Lennon and wife, Drake, S. C.; Aaron Fine, Maxton; John S. McNeill, Lumberton; Tom Sloan, Roseboro.

PAPOOSES ALSO SIGNED

As Adult Indians on McMurray Contracts—Investigation.

McAlester, Okla., Aug. 11. — It was brought out in the Congressional investigation of the Gore bribery charges today that baby Indians, as well as adult Indians, had "signed" the McMurray contracts providing for the sale of the $30,000,000 worth of land on a 10 per cent attorney's fee basis.

The names of the papooses were signed by the parents or guardians, witnesses testified. It was incidentally developed that race suicide is far from threatening among the Indians, as families of six to nine children are common.

J. M. Perkins, a Choctaw, testified he had nine children, all of whom had "signed" the contract.

"We were led to believe that the contracts were a good thing," said Perkins. "We considered that McMurray knew better than our Congressmen and Senators how to go about selling the land. We believed that by signing the contracts we would realize quicker sales on our claims against the government; that's why I and the children signed up."

Dr. J. H. Miller, a Choctaw by inter-marriage, testified that he and his eight children had signed the contract.

The present great wealth of the Oklahoma Indians was brought out in the testimony.

Sulphur, Okla., Aug. 11.—The Congressional Investigation Committee arrived tonight where the hearings on the Gore charges and McMurray contracts will be resumed tomorrow.

Many Chickasaws are expected to relate under what inducement they signed the McMurray contract. Only a brief session of the committee was held at McAlester early today.

EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE.

That of M. E. Church South, in Session at Lookout Mountain.

Chattanoga, Tenn., Aug. 11. — The educational conference of the M. E. Church, South, is in session at the Mountain House, Lookout Mountain, and will complete its work by Saturday morning. The conference organized by the election of Rev. John O. Wilson, D. D., of Lander College, South Carolina, chairman, and Rev. Andrew Siedd, D. D., of Southern University of Virginia, secretary.

The members present are: Dr. R. E. Blackwell, president Randolph-Macon College, Virginia; Dr. R. S. Hyer, president Southwestern University, Texas; Dr. Thomas Carter, Vanderbilt University, Tennessee; Dr. J. A. Sharp, Young Harris College (president), Georgia; Dr. H. N. Snyder, president Wooford College, South Carolina; Dr. W. A. Webb, president Central College, Missouri; Dr. S. M. Hosmer, ex-president Southern University.

The business of the conference is to fix the standard of universities, colleges and schools of the M. E. Church, South, to discuss all matters of an educational nature as to the church in the territory embracing the entire South.

After the work of the conference has been completed, it will be put into effect by an educational board of the church.

TIDINGS FROM MR. SPRUNT.

Feared That He Will Be Obliged to Remain Away for Weeks.

Following a more hopeful private telegram to a friend in Wilmington yesterday morning, further telegraphic advices were received yesterday afternoon by a member of the family in this city, stating that Mr. James Sprunt, who was painfully injured 12 days ago at the summer home of the family at Narragansett Pier, R. I., while slowly but steadily improving, would be confined to his room for four weeks yet, his surgeons requiring that he remain rigid upon his back for this length of time, then to go on crutches for two weeks, expressing, however, confidence of his good recovery in time. After a further examination yesterday afternoon, the surgeon says that his hip bone is injured, hence the necessity for the extreme prudence and caution. Many friends of Mr. Sprunt in North Carolina and elsewhere, while regretting to know of the great inconvenience which he will suffer by reason of his injury, are gratified to know that the hurt is not permanent, and that he will soon be himself again.

GOVERNOR PATTERSON'S ACTION

Willing to Waive Nomination to Test Democracy in Tennessee.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 11.—As an outcome of the recent judicial election in Tennessee, in which the regular Democratic nominees, which he supported, were defeated by independents, who had the active aid of the Republican organization, Governor Patterson tonight issued a statement expressing willingness to waive the Democratic nomination for a third term, which he has already received, and again test the question of a choice of the Democracy in any sort of a primary.

Thus he would hope, he says, to save the State to Democracy. The address, among other things, says: "The pernicious intermeddling of a Republican President with the affairs of the Democratic party in our State should be resented, and his well laid plan to Republicanize it thwarted before it is too late.

"Those Democrats who are actively aiding and abetting his efforts, excuse their treason by recommending that it is necessary in order to eliminate me from politics.

"If this is true, why not bring it about in a way that will restore harmony and not destroy Democratic ascendency? If the majority of the Democrats are opposed to me, as it is claimed, I should not represent them as their candidate for Governor."

The Governor then offers to enter a new primary.

At the Cooking Demonstration Tonight, planked trout with Tartare sauce. **

MINE WORKERS MEET

Important Convention of National Body Assembles.

Indianapolis, Aug. 11.—Nearly 1,000 delegates are in Indianapolis today ready for the opening of the special convention of the United Mine Workers, called by President Thomas L. Lewis, ostensibly to discuss the wage contracts and strike situation in the various districts.

No mention is made specifically in the call of the convention of the dissensions in the national order, but one clause states one object of the convention "is to take such action as is necessary to require the officers and members of the United Mine Workers to respect and comply with the authority of the international executive board."

President John H. Walker, of the Illinois district, and so called leader of the anti-Lewis faction, is on hand ready for the opening of the convention.

The objects of the convention are six-fold, and as set forth in President Lewis' official call, are as follows:

"1. The strike situation in those districts where wage contracts have not been negotiated and agreed upon.

"2. To make clear the position of the United Mine Workers on the question of complying with and enforcing the terms of wage contracts.

"3 To take such action as necessary to require the officers and members of the United Mine Workers to respect and comply with the authority of the international executive board.

"4. To provide some effective method of enforcing the provisions of the international constitution of the United Mine Workers of America.

"5. To consider ways and means to raise funds to support our members who are on strike and can negotiate no settlements.

"6. To decide whether or not the convention will appropriate a limited amount of funds to defray the hotel expenses, as well as the railroad fare of the delegates attending the convention."

BREACH WITH THE VATICAN.

No New Proposals With Spain—Position of Premier.

Rome, Aug. 11.—The Vatican, in a semi-official communication says that the idea of making new proposals to Spain is so far from the intention of the Holy See that some of the officials support the suggestion of sending no further answer to the last Spanish note, on the ground that this note is a reply to that addressed by the Holy See to the government and therefore requires no answer.

If Premier Canalejas is sincere, the communication says he must resume the negotiations at the point where they were abruptly interrupted.

The Giornale D'Italia publishes an interview with the premier, who says he has done nothing that could be construed as interference with the state in church affairs, but has proclaimed the respect due the authority of the state. Nor has he done anything he declares to encroach upon the ideal and traditional patrimony of a religion to which he himself belongs and to which he gives deep respect.

"But," continues the premier, "I am determined not to allow the development of clericalism in Spain. A rupture of relations with the Vatican does not exist, the disagreement is momentary. It deals with a fixed question. I have no desire to extend it, and I do not wish war. The Vatican must intervene to modify a portion of the Spanish clergy, as, otherwise, if the clergy are allowed to conspire against the government, then without consulting some I will do what my duty commands. The Vatican insists upon the withdrawal of a bill already presented, but this I cannot and will not do, as it would mean the diminution of the power of the State."

KILLED THREE AND SELF.

Tragic Deed of Keeper of Shooting Gallery.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—W. J. Meyers, keeper of a shooting gallery, used his skill with a revolver with tragic purpose today, shooting three members of his household through the head and then taking his own life.

Just four shots were fired and four lives were snuffed out by Meyers unerring aim.

Policeman Dennis O'Neil was passing the Meyers home when he heard the four shots in rapid succession. Breaking into the apartment he found the dead where they had fallen. A revolver with four chambers empty lay beside the body of Meyers. Death in each case apparently had been instantaneous.

Meyers and his wife separated after she had had him placed under bonds to keep the peace. There are no living eye witnesses to the tragedy.

GIRLS DROWN WHILE WADING.

Stepped Into Deep Hole and Drowned Before Help Came.

Corsicana, Texas, Aug. 11.—Two young girls, inmates of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows home, about two miles west of the city, were drowned in a pond near the home last night. They were Irene Park, aged sixteen, from Fort Worth, and Sallie Bivens, aged thirteen, from Houston.

The girls were in wading when they stepped into a deep hole and drowned before assistance could reach them.

Don't Miss It.

The cooking demonstration tonight —planked trout with Tartare sauce. **

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

The woman with tender skin dreads August because it is sure to cover her face with ugly freckles. No matter how thick her veil, the August sun and winds will surely make her freckle.

Fortunately for her peace of mind, the recent discovery of a new drug, othine—double strength, makes it possible for even those most susceptible to freckles to keep the skin clear and white. No matter how stubborn a case of freckles you have, the double strength othine will remove them. Get an ounce package from J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. and banish the freckles. Money back if it fails.

FOOLISH BANK RUN.

Seller Said Bank Couldn't Pay, and His Remark Started Run.

Louisville, Aug. 11.—The death of a mule in South Louisville Monday subjected the South Louisville Savings and Deposit Bank, at Fourth and Central avenues, to more than its share of inconvenience, and was directly responsible for a run on that institution yesterday that lasted for six or eight hours. From early morning up to noon the depositors from all over the Southern section clamored for their money. Dr. W. H. Netherland, president of the bank, announced when order had been restored in some measure, that $63,540 had been drawn out of the bank.

The stampede of the depositors came about in a most unusual manner. A few days ago John Colglazier purchased a mule. Mr. Colglazier gave his check for $75 in payment, and when the mule died suddenly he stopped payment on the check at the South Louisville Bank.

Mr. Colglazier's action, of course, prevented the officers of the bank from honoring the check, and consequently when it was presented for payment it was turned down. The holder of the check, according to Dr. Netherland, casually remarked at the general store and blacksmith shop in the vicinity that the bank was not equal to its obligations. The rumor spread like wildfire, and when the bank opened a large crowd of depositors had collected. All wishing their money were paid promptly, as the bank has ample resources.

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PROPOSED MEMORIAL TO BILL NYE TO BE $5,000 BLDG. AT STONEWALL JACKSON TRAINING SCHOOL

Committee Appointed by North Carolina Press Association Decides That the Lamented Humorist Shall be Honored in a Practical Manner—State Newspapers Delegated to Receive Contributions to the Cause.

The committee appointed at the recent meeting of the North Carolina Press Association to take in the matter of a State memorial to Bill Nye, met in Salisbury, Wednesday, July 6th, in formal session, and after hearing all the propositions before it unanimously decided:

1. That the memorial to the lamented humorist shall take the form of a memorial building, to be one of the group and a part of the Stonewall Jackson Training School, generally known as the State Reformatory, in Cabarrus county, near Concord.

2. That the building, furnished and equipped as the trustees of the institution may direct, to the best advantage for the rescue of errant boys, shall cost not less than $5,000, and shall be known as the "BILL NYE MEMORIAL BUILDING."

3. That the following newspapers be designated to receive and acknowledge subscriptions to the fund for this building, said funds to be transmitted promptly to the treasurer, JOHN M. Julian, Editor of the Salisbury Post:

The Star, Wilmington.
The Observer, Charlotte.
The Evening Post, Salisbury.
The Citizen, Asheville.
The News and Observer, Raleigh.
The News, Greensboro.
The Uplift, Concord.

4. That while the committee believes that this memorial should be distinctively North Carolina's tribute to the lamented man of letters, it deems it wise, in order to ensure the prompt success of the movement, and further to permit the friends of Bill Nye outside the State an opportunity to contribute to this movement, that contributions from outside the State should be gratefully received and acknowledged, while not solicited.

The committee believes further that it made a wise and happy selection in the form of this memorial; that nothing it might have conceived would have brought greater joy to the heart of the gifted, kindly man whose memory it is designed to perpetuate than the great work of making useful citizens of wayward boys, and that were he present with us in the flesh today it would have the stamp of his approval. Furthermore the committee bespeaks the hearty co-operation of the brethren of the press especially, and all good citizens generally in this undertaking. It is a labor of love—one that has already been too long neglected, to the shame of North Carolina. Let us put our shoulders to the wheel and show to the world what North Carolina can do for the man it delights to honor.

(Signed)
JAMES M. CAINE, Chairman,
JOHN M. JULIAN, Treasurer,
R. W. VINCENT, Secretary,
ROBERT M. PHILLIPS,
ARCHIBALD H. BOYDEN,
Committee.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

COTTON MARKET RULED LOWER

Closed Barely Steady at Net Decline of From 18 to 30 Points—Demand For Trade Interests—Eastern Crop.

New York, Aug. 11.—Although there was nothing in today's news to indicate any breaking of the drouth in the Southwest, the cotton market ruled generally lower under heavy realizing with the close barely steady at a net decline of 18 to 30 points.

The opening was steady at a decline of 1 to 7 points in response to lower cables than expected. Offerings were pretty well absorbed at first but there was heavy selling by some of the large houses who figured as prominent buyers prior to the recent advance and while the Western belt forecast held out no hope of immediate rains in Southern or Central Texas, prices gradually eased off. There was a continued demand from trade interests on a scale down, but the buying was not so aggressive as recently, and the lowest prices of the day were reached in the late trading when September sold at 14.41 and October at 13.67. The easier turn in the market seemed to direct attention more to the condition of the crop in the Eastern belt, where weather conditions recenly have been more favorable, and one of the heavy sellers of the day issued a circular predicting that the coming bureau report would show determination over only about one-third of the area of Texas and an improvement over the balance of the belt. This naturally led to talk of a more optimistic crop report from the government next month and as the day wore on without any sign of aggressive support from bull leaders, sellers for short account became rather more confident and the close was at practically the lowest. The Texas detailed weather report showed rains at only one or two points and very high temperatures yesterday and the Western belt forecast was for partly cloudy weather. Generally fair weather was predicted for the Eastern belt except for showers in Mississippi.

Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 3-8c higher. Arrivals at New York today included 878 bales from Bremen. Receipts of cotton at the ports today were 2,875 bales against 1,033 last week and 1,828 last year. For the week 10,000 bales against 6,773 last week and 11,057 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 87 bales against 122 bales last year, and at Houston 2,134 bales against 324 last year.

Spot closed quiet 25 points lower. Middling uplands 15.70; middling gulf 15.95; sales 1,425 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed fairly steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
August	13.85	15.90	15.61	15.65
September	14.08	14.08	14.41	14.40
October	13.83	13.89	13.67	13.69
November	13.78	13.80	13.74	13.58
December	13.78	13.78	13.58	13.58
January	13.74	13.75	13.56	13.57
February				13.58
March	13.77	13.81	13.64	13.62
April				
May	13.83	13.83	13.68	13.67
June				13.70
July				13.71

Port Movement.

Galveston—Quiet 15 1-8; net receipts 2,117; gross receipts 2,177; sales 278; stock 5,582; continent 951; coastwise 2,200.

New Orleans—Quiet and Easy, 15 3-16; net receipts 87; gross receipts 87; sales 511; stock 35,932.

Mobile—Firm, 15; sales 125; stock 428; coastwise 496.

Savannah—Quiet, 15 1-2; net receipts 458; gross receipts 458; stock 6,460.

Charleston—Nominal, net receipts 13; gross receipts 13; stock 381.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock 119.

Norfolk—Steady, 15 3-4; net receipts 140; gross receipts 322; sales 1; stock 1,475.

Baltimore—Nominal, 16; stock 1,372.

New York—Quiet, 15.70; gross receipts 3,410; sales 1,425; stock 181,327; France 252; constwise 6,074.

Boston—Quiet, 15.70; gross receipts 450; stock 4,312.

Philadelphia—Steady, 15.95; stock 1,654.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 2,875; France 252; Continent 9,721; stock 341,200.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 6,782; Great Britain 8,310; France 10,947; Continent 20,934.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts, 7,344,099; Great Britain 2,340,031; France 907,090; Continent 2,638,524; Japan 93,142; Mexico 13,824.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 2,134; gross receipts 2,134; shipments 1,993; sales 34; stock 9,777.

Augusta—Steady, 15 3-4; net receipts 61; gross receipts 61; shipments 151; sales 54; stock 2,809.

Memphis—Quiet, 15 5-8; net receipts 29; gross receipts 989; shipments 960; stock 9,463.

St. Louis—Steady, 15 1-8; gross receipts 196; shipments 464; stock 5,633.

Cincinnati—Shipments 208; stock 7,172.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 5-8; net receipts 298; gross receipts 398; shipments 63; stock 5,022.

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-8.

Total today—Net receipts 2,622, gross receipts 3,778; shipments 3,839; sales 88; stock 39,876.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot in Fair Demand, Prices Four Points Higher—Futures.

Liverpool, Aug. 11.—Spot in fair demand, prices 4 points higher. American middling fair 8.80; good middling 8 50; middling 8.36; low middling 8.26; good ordinary 8.00; ordinary 7.75.

The sales of the day were 4,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 3,100 American. No receipts. Futures opened dull and closed quiet and steady. August 8.09 1-2; August and September 7.85; September and October 7.47 1-2; October and November 7.29 1-2; November and December 7.20, December and January 7.17; January and February 7.16 1-2; February and March 7.16 1-2; March and April 7.16 1-2; April and May 7.16; May and June 7.16.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 11, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 13 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—38 casks spirits turpentine, 169 barrels rosin, 18 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Sharpie Eagle—6 casks spirits turpentine, 47 barrels rosin.

Sharpie Addie May—16 casks spirits turpentine, 231 barrels rosin.

Total—64 casks spirits turpentine, 460 barrels rosin, 28 barrels tar, 44 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 11.—Flour—Steady to firm at the old level of prices.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot strong; new No. 2 red, $1.08 elevator and $1.09 1-4 f. o. b.; No. 1 Northern, $1.27 f. o. b. to arrive. Options closed at 1 1-2 to 1 3-4c net advance; September, $1.08 5-8; December, $1.10 3-4 to $1.12 1-8.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 73 3-4c nominal elevator, domestic basis to arrive. Options closed one cent ent higher) September, 72 3-4c.

Oats—Spot mixed nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Firm.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm.

Coffee—Futures closed steady net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 30,250 bags.

Spot Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 8 7-8c to 9c; Santos No. 4, 9 3-4c. Mild quiet; Cordova, 10c to 12 1-4c.

Butter—Stronger; creamery specials, 29 3-4c to 30c; extras, 28 3-4c to 29c; third to first, 24c to 27 1-2c; state dairy, common to finest, 22 1-2c to 28c.

Cheese—Firm; State, whole mild, specials, 15 1-4c to 16 1-2c; do fair to good, 13c to 14c.

Eggs—Firmer; fresh gathered extra first, 21c to 22c; first, 19c to 20c; seconds, 16c to 18c.

Potatoes—Firm; Long Island, per barrel, $2.00 to $2.25; Jersey, $1.70 to $2.20; Southern, $1.50 to $2.00; Southern sweets, per barrel, $2.00 to $3.50.

Cabbages—Quiet, unchanged.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

The cotton seed oil. market was active and unsettled, owing to the closing out of a large interest, which was short October and long in the later positions. At the close prices were irregula at 5 points decline to 11 advance, with sales of 31,600 barrels; September, 9.25 to 9.38; October, 8.05 to 8.06; November, 7.14 to 7.15; December, 6.90 to 6.92; prime crude September, 7.20 to 7.34; prime summer yellow, 9.30 to 9.49; prime winter yellow, 10.25 to 11.00; prime summer white, 10,10 to 11.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady 68 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $4.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market firm $2.50 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.50 per barrel for hard; $5.00 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm 44c; rosin firm $2.55; tar steady $1.60; crude turpentine firm $1.75, $2.75 and $3.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	64
Rosin	460
Tar	28
Crude turpentine	44

Receipts, same day last year 65 casks spirits turpentine; 245 barrels rosin; 96 barrels tar; 44 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market nominal. Quotations corresponding day last year nominal.

Receipts—bales, same day last year 13 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Aug. 6th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 85 to 90 per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Dull; hams 20; shoulders and side 17c.

EGGS—18 and fresh lot 20c

CHICKENS—Spring 15 and 30; grown 50 scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26 to 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Out of season.

HIDES—Dr. flint 13c; green 7c per pound

WOOL—Burr 12 to 15c; free of burr 18 to 20c.

GEESE—Out of Season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Grown $1.00 to $2.50.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—Out of Season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop 40 to 50c per bushel, dull.

COTTON MARKET NERVOUS.

Buyers Are Tired of the Situation—Manchester Cables Good.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, Aug. 11.—Reports from Manchester are still good and are the saving feature of foreign advices. The market is nervous and narrow, and the trade is beginning to look askance at present prices, which, though Texas still needs rain appear because they go no higher. People are tired of the situation, as it does not attract buyers, and on the advance realizing is frequent and an experimental short interest is creating somewhat more confidence than heretofore. September bureau figures are being discussed and the good reports from the belt outside of Texas are weighed against the dryness in the Southwest. Temporarily the feeling is easier and may undervalue the effect of the Texas condition, which is as vital a factor as ever. Spots are in good demand.

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THE DEPRESSION IN STOCKS

Investment Demand Offered on the Decline Satisfied—No New Factors Developed in the Market Yesterday—Conditions.

New York, Aug. 11.—The stock market today gave additional effect of the dying forces of the recovery which had been at work almost continuously for the two weeks previous until the day before. The investment demand which developed at the attractive prices offered on the decline seems to be satisfied, and the more speculative operations for the advance show growing caution as prices get further away from the point at which the recovery started. There were no new factors developed which are considered of positive weakening force, but the news fails to offer incentive to continue the advance.

The market having lost the advantage of the urgent demand from uncovered shorts, speculative attention turns back to some of the pre-existing conditions which were held responsible for the fall in prices. The statement issued by the Bureau of Statistics of the value of agricultural exports for the month of July disappointed the hopes of a decided favorable turn in foreign trade conditions, which seemed to be foreshadowed by the June returns. Nearly every important item of the statement shows a contraction from the figures of a year ago, the total contraction reaching $6,253,000, compared with July of last year.

Statistics of permits for new buildings for New York and 26 other leading centers for July aggregate $45,432,776, compared with $60,827,774 in July of last year.

This showing bears out the assertions of extensive curtailment of credits in New York for new building purposes, which lending institutions have been practicing for some time. An important department of the steel trade is thus affected, and the response of United States Steel to th showing was evidence of the significanc attached to it. That stock was sympathetically affected by the special weakness of American Smelting, which reflected some influence on the whole of the metal group. There was some recurrence of uneasiness over the crop outlook, although the actual news bearing on the subject was almost neutral.

The dividend declarations on Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and General Electric had some temporary sustaining effect, but it passed.

The time money market was easier with increased offerings for periods maturing before next January, for which there was little demand.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value, $1,486,000. United States coupon advanced 2-8 on call. Total sales stock today, 327,700 shares.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. ref 2s reg	100 7-8
U. S. ref. 2s cou	100 7-8
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	101 1-4
U. S. 4s reg	114 3-8
U. S. 4s cou	114 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	72 5-8
American Agricultural 5s	101
American Tel & Tel cv. 4s	100 1-2
American Tobacco 4s	78 5-8
American Tobacco 6s	105 3-4
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	90 5-8
Atchison gen. 4s	97 3-4
Atchison cv. 4s	105 1-8
Atchison cv. 5s	107 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	92
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2	91 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	89 1-8
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	82
Central of Georgia 5s	104 1-4
Central Leather 5s	98
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	120 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 4s	91
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	68 1-4
Chicago, B. & Q. joint 4s	95
Chicago, R. I. & Q. gen. 4s	98
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. deb 4s	91 3-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col. 4s	72 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. rfg. 4s	88 1-4
Colorado Industrial 5s	72
Colorado Midland 4s	66
Colo. & Southern ref. & ext. 4 1-2s	95
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	97 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	92 7-8
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	90 1-2
Distillers 5s	67 3-4
Erie prior lien 4s	80 1-4
Erie gen. 4s	69 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	68
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	63 3-4
General Electric cv. 5s	134 1-2
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	90 3-8
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	78 1-2
Inter Merc Marine 4 1-2s	61
Japan 4s	90
Japan 4 1-2s	94 5-8
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	71
Lake Shore deb 4 (1931)	92 1-2
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	97 1-4
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 1-2
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	83 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	76
National Rys of Mexico 4 1-2s	93 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2	88
New York Central deb 4s	93 1-4
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	131 1-2
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	97 3-4
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	98
Northern Pacific 4s	100
Northern Pacific 3s	71
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	92
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 1-4
Penn. con. 4s	102
Reading gen. 4s	98
St. Louis & San Fran. fg. 4s	79 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 6s	85 5-8
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	72 1-2
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	88 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 5s adj.	69 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	90
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	97 3-4
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	93 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	104 1-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	74
Union Pacific 4s	100 1-2
Union Pacific cv. 4s	104 1-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	95 1-2
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	102 7-8
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	90
Wabash 1st 5s	107 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext 4s	82 5-8
Western Md. 4s	83
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	87
Wisconsin Central 4s	92

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd	27
Amalgamated Copper	65 1-8
American Agricultural	42
American Beet Sugar	34
American Can	8 1-4
American Car & Foundry	46 1-2
American Cotton Oil	58 1-4
American Hide & Leather pfd	28 1-4
American Ice Securities	40 1-2
American Linseed	12 1-4
American Locomotive	35 1-2
American Smelting & Refng	65 1-2
Amer. Smelting & Refng pfd	101
Amer. Steel Foundries	44
American Sugar Refining	118
American Tel & Tel	132 3-8
American Tobacco pfd	91 1-2
American Woolen	27
Anaconda Mining Co.	39 1-2
Atchison	97 1-2
Atchison pfd	99 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	110 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	107 7-8
Bethlehem Steel	24
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75 1-4
Canadian Pacific	180 1-2
Central Leather	33 1-4
Central Leather pfd	103 1-2
Central of New Jersey	290
Chesapeake & Ohio	72 1-2
Chicago & Alton	39 7-8
Chicago Great Western	23 1-4
Chicago Great Western pfd	44 1-4
Chicago & Northwestern	144 1-2
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul	123 1-2
C., C. C. & St. Louis	72
Colorado Fuel & Iron	29 1-4
Colorado & Southern	52
Consolidated Gas	128 1-2
Corn Products	13 1-8
Delaware & Hudson	160
Denver & Rio Grande	30 1-4
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	70 3-4
Distillers' Securities	28
Erie	25 5-8
Erie 1st pfd	42 3-4
Erie 2nd pfd	31 1-2
General Electric	142
Great Northern pfd	124 1-4
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	53 1-2
Illinois Central	128 1-4
Interborough Met	16 1-4
Interborough Met pfd	46 1-8
Inter Harvester	92 1-2
Inter Marine pfd	15 1-2
International Paper	10
International Pump	39
Iowa Central	15 7-8
Kansas City Southern	28
Kansas City Southern pfd	60 3-4
Laclede Gas	101 3-4
Louisville & Nashville	139 1-2
Minneapolis & St. Louis	25
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	129
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31 3-4
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	62
Missouri Pacific	50
National Biscuit	102
National Lead	50 1-2
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	28
New York Central	112 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	40
Norfolk & Western	96 3-8
North American	67
Northern Pacific	115
Pacific Mail	24 1-2
Pennsylvania	128 1-4
People's Gas	105
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	92
Pittsburg Coal	15 1-4
Pressed Steel Car	34 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	157
Railway Steel Spring	31 3-4
Reading	140 1-2
Republic Steel	29 1-2
Republic Steel pfd	89 1-2
Rock Island Co.	29 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	61
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	37
St. Louis Southwestern	23
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	56
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	59
Southern Pacific	113 3-8
Southern Railway	22 7-8
Southern Railway pfd	52 3-4
Tennessee Copper	23 1-2
Texas Pacific	25
Toledo, St. Louis & West	22
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	48
Union Pacific	165
Union Pacific pfd	92 1-2
United States Realty	70
United States Rubber	33 3-4
United States Steel	69 3-8
United States Steel pfd	115 3-8
Utah Copper	46 1-4
Virginia Carolina Chemical	58
Wabash	17
Wabash pfd	34 3-8
Western Maryland	42 1-2
Westinghouse Electric	61
Western Union	63
Wheeling & Lake Erie	5 1-4

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Largely increased imports probably needed by France because of crop damage from rains narrowed the gap today between wheat prices in this country and Europe. Buying of options here was active all day and especially so on the part of foreigners. In consequence there was a net advance of 1 3-8 to 1 1-2 to 1 3-4. Corn also advanced but for an exactly opposite reason, absence of rain in the West. Corn closed 7-8 to 1 1-4 to 3-8 higher than last night. Oats and provisions sympathized, the former with a final gain of 1-4 to 3-8 to 3-8 to 1-8 and the latter 12 1-2 to 40.

Cash grain close: Wheat—No. 1 red 1.02 1-4 to 1.03 3-4; No. 2 red 1.02 to 1.03 1-2; No. 3 red 1.01 to 1.02 1-2; No. 1 hard 1.02 1-4 1.03 3-4; No. 2 hard 1.02 1-4 to 1.04; No. 1 northern 1.22 1-2 to 1.24; No. 2 northern 1.12 to 1.16; No. 2 spring neg. 1.05 to 1.07; No. 3 spring 1.03 to 1.05; Velvet chaff 1.01 1- to 1.02 1-2; durur 90 to 96.

Corn—No. 2, 65 1-2; No. 2 white 66 1-4; No. 2 yellow 65 3-4 to 66; No. 3 65 1-4 to 1-2; No. 3 white 65 1-4 to 65 1-2; No. 3 yellow 65 1-4 to 3-4; No. 4, 64 3-4 to 65; No. 4 white 64 1-2; No. 4 yellow 64 3-4.

Oats—No. 2 mixed nominal new 35 1-4; No. 2 white new 37 to 37 1-2; No. 3 white new 36 to 37; No. 3 white old 36 1-4 to 38; No. 4 white old 35 1-2 to 37; standard new 37 to 37 1-2; standard old 38 1-2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept	1 01⅜	1 02¾	1 01⅛	1 02⅜
Dec.	1 05	1 06¼	1 04⅜	1 06⅜
May	1 09⅜	1 10¾	1 09½	1 10¾
Corn—				
Sept	64	64⅞	64⅜	64⅝
Dec.	60⅜	61⅞	60⅝	61⅝
May	62⅞	64	62⅝	63¾
Oats—				
Sept	36⅞	37¼	36⅜	37
Dec.	38⅜	38⅞	38⅛	38⅜
May	41¼	41½	41	41½
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Sept	21 25	21 45	21 12½	21 40
Oct.	20 60	20 80	20 60	20 77½
Jan.	18 20	18 50	18 15	18 50
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	11 60	11 70	11 60	11 70
Oct.	11 55	11 62½	11 52½	11 60
Nov.	11 35	11 35	11 30	11 35
Jan.	10 47½	10 55	10 45	10 55
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	11 47½	11 62½	11 47½	11 57½
Oct.	11 00	11 15	10 97½	11 12½
Jan.	9 52½	9 62½	9 50	9 02½

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 11.—Money on call easy, 1 1-2 to 1 3-4 per cent., ruling rate 1 3-4; closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 1-2. Time loans easy; sixty days 3, ninety days 3 3-4, six months 4 3-4to 5. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8350 to 4.8360 for sixty day bills and at 4.8565 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 to 4.83 1-2. Bar silver 53. Mexican dollars 44.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 11.—The cotton goods market are firmer and higher. An advance of 1-2c a yard has been named on standard tickings and advances are also named on denims, convertibles, and some special lines of domestics. Yarns are firmer. Linings are selling better. A substantial sale of silks for Spring delivery is noted.

THE WATERWAYS MEETING.

Division of Atlantic Fleet Ordered to Narragansett Bay.

Washington, Aug. 11. — Arrangements were completed today with Admiral Mason, acting Secretary of the Navy, for the presence at Narragansett Bay, from August 31st to September 3rd, of the fifth division of the Atlantic fleet, until command of Rear Admiral S. A. Staunton, during the convention of the Atlantic Deep Waterways Association in Providence, R. I.

There will be water carnivals, regattas, clam bakes and other entertainments, and addresses will be delivered by Governors Fort, of New Jersey; Ansel, of South Carolina; Weeks, of Connecticut, and Potheir, of Rhode Island. Commander Robert E. Peary, Secretary Knox, Representative Richmond P. Hobson, Senators Aldrich and Wetmore, of Rhode Island, and others.

To keep your health sound; to avoid the ills of advancing years; to conserve your physical forces for a ripe and healthful old age, guard your kidneys by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. Robt. R. Bellamy.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 11.—Rosin firm, turpentine steady.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 11.—Turpentine quiet 68 1-4 to 69 1-2; sales 30. Rosin quiet. Quote: A. B. C. D. E. 3.50; F. 5.50 to 5.60; G. 5.50 to 5.60; H. 5.50 to 5.60; I. 5.60; K. 5.60; M. 5.65 to 5.75; M. 5.70 to 6.00; WG, 5.80 to 6.10; WW, 6.45.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 11.—Turpentine firm 69 1-2; sales 182; receipts 793; shipments 4,0065; stock 2,676. Rosin firm; receipts 2,003; shipments 13,267; stocks 56,633; sales 1,927. Quote: A. B. C. 5.40 to 5.55; D. 5.55 to 5.75; E. 5.60 to 5.85; F. 5.75; G. 5.70 to 5.75; H. 5.75; I. 5.75; K. 5.75 to 5.85; M. 5.90 to 5.95; N. 6.05; WG, 6.35; WW, 6.45.

New Orleans, Aug. 11.—Receipts 13 barrels rosin, 15 barrels turpentine; exports for London 88 barrels rosin.

Struck a Rich Mine.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills for they cured him of liver and kidney trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for constipation, malaria, headache, dyspepsia, debility. 25c at Robt. R. Bellamy's.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 11, 1910.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending 8 p. m., Thursday, August 11th:

Temperature at 8 a. m., 76 degrees; 8 p. m., 74 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 1.01 for the month, 1.43 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear at Fayetteville at 8 a. m. Wednesday, 7.9 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in West, local showers in East portion Friday; Saturday fair; slightly warmer in interior; light to moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—August 11.

Sun rises .....5:31 a. m.
Sun sets .....7:03 p. m.
Day's length.....13 hrs. 32 min.
High water at Southport..1:41 a. m.
High water at Wilmington.4:41 a. m.

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WENDLING MADE DASH.

Had Tussle With Detective En Route Yesterday.

Olney, Ill., Aug. 11.—Joseph Wendling, charged with the murder of Alma Keliner in Louisville, became a refractory prisoner here today and objected to Chief of Detectives Carney, of Louisville, t aking him from the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern train. In a struggle Wendling kicked a reporter for a Louisville paper.

The prisoner was handcuffed to Carney at the time.

He refused to leave the train when his attorney, J. R. Clements, spoke to him. Wendling was put in an automobile, which went southeast along the Illinois Central tracks. Carney told the station agent he probably would take an Illinois Central train into Kentucky. He wanted the time of his arrival in Louisville kept secret.

Clements, who caught the train in St. Louis, after Carney had put his prisoner aboard early today, rode in the same car with Wendling. As soon as Carney told Wendling to leave the car, Clements advised his client in an undertone and a struggle unsued. Carney, and Col. John H. Whallen, and two newspaper men, pushed wendling through the door of the car and to the platform. The automobile was engaged by Carney by telegraph. Clements did not leave the train here.

Chief of Detectives Carney, of Louisville, took Joseph Wendling, charged with the murder of Alma Kellner, from the train here this morning and put him into an automobile and started across country for Kentucky.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 11.—Trainmen on an Illinois Central passenger train report that Detective Carney and Joseph Wendling crossed the Wabash river at Grayville, Ill., at 11 o'clock this forenoon. It is believed they will come here and take a train on the Henderson route at 2:15 this afternoon for Louisville.

TO MARRY MERCHANT.

Baroness Vaughan is Soon Consoled for Loss of Leopold.

Paris, Aug. 11.—Baroness Vaughan, who was reported to have been the morganatic wife of the late King Leopold of Belgium, has announced her approaching marriage with Emmanuel Durieux, a retired merchant living at Neuilly-Sur-Seine. It is stated that Durieux has been director of Baroness Vaughan's financial affairs.

Since her dramatic flight from Belgium on the death of King Leopold, which closed her regal career, the baroness, endowed with an immense fortune, bestowed upon her by the King, has been living sumptuously, although in the greatest privacy, in the chateau Balincourt at Aronville. The townspeople have been amazed by the publication of the banns of the marriage, Baroness Vaughan's name being given as Blanche Zelia Josephine de Lacroix.

The date of the marriage is not known and the staff of domestics guarding the high walled chateau declare that their mistress is at the seashore. Baroness Vaughan is twenty-seven years of age, while Durieux is fifty.

The penniless sisters of the baroness who are living in Paris are stupefied at the news and express themselves as amazed that she could marry so soon after the death of the King. Although she is said to be possessed of many millions she has turned a deaf ear to all their appeals and now they consider that their last hope has vanished.

RIDE WILD AND LONELY.

Boy Drove Bronchos Forty Miles at Night, Bearing Brother's Body.

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 11.—After driving with one hand a team of bronchos for 40 miles on a stormy night, Alfred Villa delivered the body of his dead brother to his parents near this city last night.

While driving through the storm the buckboard in which the two boys were riding was struck by lightning, killing the younger boy instantly and paralyzing one side of the other. Regaining consciousness, the elder boy headed the team for home, driving with his unaffected hand.

Several other persons were stunned during the same storm.

MASONS SELECTED DENVER.

For the Conclave of 1913 — Melish Elected President.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—With the selection of Denver on the third ballot for the Conclave of 1913, and the election of officers, headed by William B. Melish, of Cincinnati, as grand master, the business of the thirty-first triennial Conclave of the Knights Templars was today practically concluded. Los Angeles and New Orleans were the other contesting cities. There is no set programme for tomorrow.

Among the appointments announced by Grand Master Melish tonight was that of H. M. Boyken, of Richmond, Va., as Captain of the Guard.

BRISTOW CHARGES DECLARED ABSURD

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of the subjects they discussed.

"Now, attacks upon a Republican President and Republican measures are led by men whose political existence depends upon their capacity—and to this there seems to be no limit—for misrepresentation and the ignorance of their adherents. Strangely enough, this little group of men—very small in number—has arrogated to itself the leadership of the progressives, and its members prat about the treatment of the tariff as a moral question."

Mr. Aldrich prefaced his letter to Mr. McKinley with the statement that he had been asked by a Republican candidate for Congress in an Illinois district to furnish him the facts with fererence to changes in the rubber duties in the tariff act of 1909.

"The persistent reiteration of the absurd misstatements of Senator Bristow with reference to the tariff on rubber," he continued, "furnishes such a characteristic illustration of the nature of the criticisms and the character of certain critics of the tariff act of 1909, that it seems to me desirable that a full statement of the facts should be made in response to this inquiry.

"It is true that an increase in the rates took place in paragraph 463, which included certain manufactures of India rubber, with other items, and it is also true that I am a stockholder and a director in the Inter-Continental Rubber Company. * * *

"Neither the Inter-Continental Rubber Company nor any of its subordinate companies have ever had the slightest interest, direct or indirect, in the manufacture of any article covered by the change in rates on rubber manufactures in the paragraph alluded to, or otherwise; and neither the Inter-Continental Rubber Company nor any of its subordinate companies have ever had any part in any combination, agreement, arrangement or understanding with any company or person with reference to any manufactured product of rubber or the price of any such product."

Senator Aldrich then declared the price of crude rubber was governed by auction sales in London and Antwerp and that the increased price of the product was due to the greatly increased demands for rubber for manufacturing purposes. He said the world's production of rubber in 1909 was approximately 175,000,000 pounds, of which his company's production was about ten million pounds or less than six per cent. of the whole.

"The change in the tariff on manufactures of rubber not otherwise provided for from 30 to 35 per cent. in paragraph 463," the letter proceeds, "was not made or recommended for protection purposes or at the instance or for the benefit of any domestic manufacture. It was made upon the recommendation of the treasury experts, solely for administrative purposes."

Then follows a letter from Judge Thad S. Sharretts of the board of United States General Appraisers, to Senator Aldrich as chairman of the finance committee. In this letter Judge Sharretts, who under the authorization of President Taft lent his expert advice in the framing of the bill, wrote as follows:

"Regarding paragraph 463 I urged that the rates of duties specified therein should be made 35 per cent. instead of 30 as in paragraph 449 of the Dingley Act."

He gave as his reason for such a change that certain other rubber manufacturers were taxed at 35 per cent. in other sections of the measure to the complete confusion of the trade.

The committee, continues the letter, recognized the existence of the anomaly, but found that a reduction to 30 per cent. would have involved a loss of revenue. Hence the Senator declares, the rate was fixed flatly at 35 per cent. The letter concludes with the ironical reference to Senator Bristow and his progressive colleagues quoted above.

Bristow On Tariff.

Baraboo, Wis., Aug. 11.—Senator Bristow, of Kansas, who is canvassing the State in the interest of Senator R. M. LaFollette again today discussed the Payne-Aldrich tariff law, declaring it to be a direct and flagrant violation of the pledges made in the Republican National platform and by President Taft in the presidential campaign.

Concerning Senator Aldrich's looked for reply to his recent charges, Senator Bristow said: "Senator Aldrich is quoted as saying that he is preparing a careful reply to the remarks I made at Winfield, Kas., regarding the lead and cotton schedules and the rubber schedule especially. I await with interest any remarks that Senator Aldrich may have to make upon the subject. It has been now about five weeks and he certainly has had ample time to prepare a reply.'

Senator Bristow called upon the people of Wisconsin to "rebuke those who had deliberately betrayed the party in order to serve the special interests," naming the so-called smelter trust, the sugar trust, rubber trust and the speculators in cotton.

ROBT. TREAT PAYNE DEAD.

President of American Peace Society Passed Away Last Night.

Waltham, Mass., Aug. 11.—Robert Treat Payne, president of the American Peace Society and widely known as a philanthropist, died at his home here tonight.

The end came at 10:40, the sick man sinking into death almost imperceptibly. He was a sufferer from paralysis and had been unconscious for several days.

It was through his efforts in behalf of peace among the countries of the world that Robert Treat Payne became a figure of something more than National prominence. As president of the American Peace Society his work occasionally took him to Europe and at The Hague his name was enrolled among the prominent advocates of disarmament.

Born in Boston in 1855, the son of Charles Cushing Payne, who was a grandson of Robert Treat Payne, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, Mr. Payne's career of philanthropic and religious endeavor forms a chapter in the history of that city during the past half century.

ANXIETY IS FELT NOW FOR GAYNOR

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grams and letters today, congratulating him on his hardy heroism. Most of the communications came from college mates or one-time antagonists on the football field.

Johnny DeSaules, erstwhile star quarterback at Yale, cabled as follows from Paris:

"Yale knows your defense at Princeton was great. Your defense for our country was greater. All Americans abroad congratulate you for saving the life of our next President."

Messages of sympathy for Mayor Gaynor continue to pour in. Among those who telegraphed or cabled today were William J. Bryan, at Lancaster, O.; Andrew Carnegie, in Scotland; Henry B. Quinby, Governor of New Hampshire, and from the vice burgomaster of Carlsbad, who spoke on behalf of his city.

Governor Quinby wired: "Your splendid administration of the municipal affairs of New York City has won the approval of all good citizens. May you soon be restored to health and to the people."

Mayor's Condition.

New York, Aug. 11.—The following bulletin on Mayor Gaynor's condition was issued at 10:30 o'clock tonight by his physicians:

"Mayor Gaynor has had a comfortable day and he has taken sufficient nourishment. He is cheerful, stronger and is now resting quietly.

"The complete radiographic examination by Dr. C. D. Caldwell shows definitely that the bullet is lodged in the vault of the pharyxn easily accessible; but it is not considered wise to attempt to remove it at present. The blood examination is also satisfactory."

New York, Aug. 12.—(2:30 a. m.)—Mayor Gaynor is resting comfortably. His physicians have added nothing to the optimistic bulletin issued last night.

VIRGINIA COURT CLERKS.

Norfolk Clerk Declined Presidency—Officers Were Named.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 11.—James V. Trehy, clerk of the Norfolk city court, declined the presidency of the Virginia Court Clerks' Association after being recommended for the position by the nominating committee and unanimously elected. Mr. Trehy declared under the present conditions he could not assume the duties of the office and thought the retiring president, A. S. Johnston, of Isle of Wight, the father of the association, who has worked so hard to get it on its feet, should again head the organization. Mr. Johnston was elected.

The election of officers brought the first annual convention of Virginia Court Clerks to an end, a two days' session at the Ocean View Hotel.

The officers are: A. S. Johnston, president; Walter Christian, clerk of the Hustings court, Richmond, first vice president; John H. Gose, of the Bristol City Corporation Court, second vice president; John Crosby, of Staunton, third vice president; secretary-treasurer, H. H. Holt, of Hampton; executive committee, W. L. Maupin, of Albemarle, H. S. Hutchinson, Mecklenburg; Phil H. Gold, of Frederick; Charles E. Dennit, of Roanoke, and Alvah H. Martin, of Norfolk county.

BIG FERTILIZER COMPANY.

J. J. Lawton of Hartsville is on of the Corporators—Strong Men.

Columbia, S. C., August 11.—Further competion with the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, in this territory is promised through the commissioning today of the Congaree fertilizer company, with an initial capitalization of $100,000 to build a large mill at Columbia.

The corporators are J. J. Lawton of Hartsville, S. C., R. R. Bratton, of Yorkville, J. . Stevens and C. J. Shannon, Jr., of Camden and Leroy Springs of Lancaster.

LOUISIANA SUFRAGETTES

Wish to Vote First on Bond Issue for the Panama Exposition.

New Orleans, Aug. 11. — Woman suffrage in Louisiana has become a live issue. A movement launched by the Era Club of New Orleans aims at the allowing of women to vote on a bond issue for the world's Panama exposition proposed to be held here in 1915.

A number of women's clubs in Louisiana have joined in the movement.

LOST LIFE IN IRELAND

Chicago Woman Dies of Injuries Received in Fire at Belfast.

Belfast, Ireland, Aug. 11.—Mrs. William John McCaughan, who was injured by jumping from the window of a burning hotel on July 26, died today.

Mrs. McCaughan's husband, pastor of the May street congregation, and formerly pastor of the Third Presbyterian Church, of Chicago, was a victim of the same fire and died July 31.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—J. C. Lewis, eminent commander of the Minneapolis Knight Templar Commandary was severely burned and several other occupants of the automobile in which the party were riding were less severely injured when a bottle of sulphuric acid and phosphorus was tossed into the car in Michigan avenue tonight.

"Planked Trout."

With Tartare sauce at the demonstration tonight. **

The New Bonds

If you have North Carolina Four Per Cent Bonds, due July 1st, 1910, send them to us for payment or exchange for the new issue. We purchased $150,000.00 of the new Bonds, which are free of all taxes, and being a State depository are prepared to take up the maturing Bonds.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

DROVE 40 MILES WITH ONE HAND.

Arizona Lad Brings Brother's Body Home Through Storm.

Tucson, Ariz., Aug. 11.—After driving with one hand a team of bronchos for forty miles on a stormy night, Alfred Villa delivered the body of his dead brother to his parents near this city last night.

While driving through the storm the buckboard in which the two boys were riding, was struck by lightning, killing the younger boy instantly, and paralyzing one side of the other. Regaining consciousness, the elder boy headed the team for home, driving with his unaffected hand.

Several other persons were stunned during the same storm.

NICARAGUA TROUBLES.

Hospital Filled With Wounded—Wife of Zelaya.

Panama, Aug. 11.—Dispatches received here from Managua state that the hospitals in that city and in Leon are filled with wounded. The Madriz forces are being concentrated at Granada, and continual enlistments are being made, sometimes by force. Dr. Irias is reported dangerously ill at managua. It is said that war taxes are being imposed by all the chief military leaders independently.

The wife of ex-President Zelaya is now here, on the way to join her husband. She left Managua because she was of the belief that her life was in danger there.

DIES OF HER HURTS.

Widow of Minister Who Died in Belfast Fire Passes Away.

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Columbus, O., Aug. 11.—In a head-on collision late this afternoon between two cars of the Lancaster division of the Scioto Valley Traction Company, one passenger was killed outright and four others were severely injured.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the seider, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements always call the Star office No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

WANTED—Fifty or 60 horse boiler at once. Must be in first class condition. State Price Quick. Box 23, Watha, N. C. au 12 1t*

WANTED—To buy an interest in paying retail business. Have twenty years experience in active business life. Address J. Box 52, City. au 12 1t*

WANTED—Lady stenographer at once. Permanent position. Address "X" care of this office. au 12 1t

FOR SALE—An alligator four feet long. If interested address W. P. Marlow at Old Dock, N. C. au 12 1t*

"GO TO SEA"—Meares Harriss, public stenographer, notary public. Multigraph circulars; expert typewriting. Notary work. Reasonable rates. 'Phone 708. 114 Princess street. Satisfaction guaranteed. au 12 tu thu su tf

FOR SALE—Three hundred acres of timbered land on Black river. Apply 119 Chesnut street. au 12 3t

WANTED—Industrious colored boy, 12 to 16 years of age, who will make himself generally useful about building. Bring references and apply Star office between 10 and 12 o'clock today. ap 12 3t

WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping by couple with no children. State particulars. Address "W." care Star. au 5 tf

IF YOU WANT to become a traveling salesman write for particulars of our system. The Bradstreet System, Rochester, N. Y. au 11 2t*

I WISH TO ANNOUNCE to my friends and the public generally that I am now located at 32 South Front street and am prepared to save them from 20 to 25 per cent. on clothing, hats, etc. L. W. Davis & Co. au 11 1m

FERTILIZER DEALERS can make money by handling R.-R. Land Lime, the best fertilizer in the world for all crops. Rockland-Rockport Lime Company, Rockland, Me., Manufacturers. Stocks arriving via schooners at Wilmington, Charleston and Savannah. Write us for literature, samples and prices. Carolina Portland Cement Company, Southern Distributors, Charleston, S. C. au 11 2t

A BARGAIN—New sixty-saw Winship Cotton Gin will be sold for less than cost. B. G. Worth, trustee. au 10 2w*

FANCY PEACHES—See me today for new peaches, apples and all kinds of vegetables, fruits, etc. Boiled and raw ham, bacon and North Carolina hams. J. W. Batson. 'Phone 72. au 10 tf

BOARD IN WESTERN North Carolina. First class board in private family at Waynesville, N. C. For particulars address Mrs. N. J. Burt, Box 312, Waynesville, N. C. au 10 e od tf.

FOR SALE—The best line of trunks and suit cases in the city. At Uncle Charley's Pawn Shop, 108 Market street. jul 31 tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

THE GILBERT HOUSE — Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all car lines. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Special rates to regular and table boarders. ma 20 tf.

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STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

D. L. T. CAPPS is at 119 South Front, where he will appreciate a call from his friends and see if the near-beer is or is not refreshing. Opposite Front street Market. jul 28 1m.

DR. CHARLES T. HARPER—Practice limited to kidney, genito-urinary and rectal diseases. Offices 507-508 Southern Building, phone 1.166. ma 25 tf

WANTED—Railway mail clerks Wilmington, N. C. Examination Nov. 12th. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 241 S. Rochester, N. Y. jul 26 1m*

FOR SALE—One 30 horse steam boiler, engine and saw mill complete. Also one No. 2, EE Titus veneering machine with complete attachments for making 32-quart crates. Terms to suit the purchaser. All good as new. Apply to B. F. Fussell, Teachey's, N. C. jul 28 1m

FOR RENT—Eight-room dwelling, with modern conveniences. No. 406 South Fifth street, near Nun. Possession given October 1st 1910. Apply to W. G. Whitehead, Phone 229 or 408. aug 3 tf

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OKLAHOMA BANKS ABANDONING GUARANTEE PLAN.

Washington, Aug. 3.—According to information received here, Oklahoma banks are finding the bank guarantee plan unsatisfactory and a number are now changing back to the national system. In all about 150 national banks in Oklahoma adopted the bank guarantee plan when it was started, so that it will take a good deal of time to complete the transfer of these institutions back again to the national system should all of them determine to return to their old allegiance. One bank has sent a circular characterizing the State Guarantee Law as burdensome without adding anything to the stability of the bank.

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